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JAPAN

Takes a Hand In the Russian-Chinese Affair In the Far East.

Opposes the Secret Treaty

And Asks the Moral Support of the Powers and a Free Hand Against the Mighty Bear----The British Apologize.

London, March 23.—The foreign office takes a pessimistic view of the immediate situation in the east in spite of settlement of the Tien Tsin question, and entertain grave fears that the relations between Japan and Russia may shortly reach the danger point. Judgment from information obtained in various official quarters in London, Japan has confided to at least some of the powers her determination to oppose at all costs any secret agreements made between Russia and China by which the former could secure territorial or other advantages contiguous to Korea.

The British government has received no official confirmation that [illegible] [illegible] but [illegible] not be surprised to learn [illegible] were the facts. A highly placed [illegible] "All Japan [illegible] [illegible] against Russia. [illegible] so far as England [illegible] [illegible] concerned and I presume [illegible] the United States [illegible] [illegible] although I do not [illegible] for one moment that any [illegible] [illegible] so stinted would be drawn [illegible] war between Japan and Russia. [illegible] Japan does nothing for it but [illegible] would have the moral support of objections committed to paper [illegible] at least two other powers against [illegible] treaties with China."

Confirmation of the foregoing [illegible] of the situation was afforded by [illegible] secretary of the Japanese legation, [illegible] in the course of an interview: "While rejoicing at the fact that England and Russia have reached a [illegible] settlement over the minor issue, [illegible] main question—the integrity of the Chinese empire—remains unsettled. In response to pressure brought by Japan upon Russia, it was announced that Russia's secret treaties with China had been modified, but the terms have been withheld. Until we see the treaties, we will not be satisfied that the modification does not consist of words merely, without any alteration in the spirit. In this contention we believe other powers will support [illegible]."

British Apologize.

Berlin, March 23. — The war office has received the following from Count Von Waldersee: "The Anglo-Russian dispute at Tien Tsin has been settled, from a military standpoint, in a manner satisfactory to both parties, at a conference between General Wogack and General Barrow. Both guards and posts have been withdrawn and salutes have been exchanged. The British declare that no offense to the Russian flag was intended, and that the alleged removal of the Russian boundary marks was neither by the command nor with the knowledge of the military authorities. The work on the disputed land will not be continued until the governments have reached an agreement as to its possession, or until a special understanding has been attained."

China's Resources.

Peking, March 23.—At the meeting of the foreign ministers, the only question considered was that of policing the legation quarters. A committee of commissioners has been appointed to discover China's resources and report on her ability to pay the indemnity to be demanded by the powers. Many ministers are strongly opposed to China's having to pay to keep an army of 10,000 or 12,000 men here for the next two years, thinking this entirely unnecessary.

Russian Version.

St. Petersburg, March 22. — A dispatch from Peking giving the Russian version of the Tien Tsin affair says: "The British military authorities have acknowledged that the disputed land was at the time under the protection of the Russian detachment, and that three Russian boundary posts had been removed without their knowledge. The difference will now be carefully settled by judicial investigation."

Not a Word Changed.

Shanghai, March 23.—The North China News asserts that a Chinese telegram has been received from the north admitting that the Russo-Chinese treaty will be signed March 26, with not a single word changed.

FOUND IN A SWAMP

Were the Remains of James L. Tod, Nephew of ex-Governor Tod.

Warren, O., March 23.—The remains of a man found near Daytona, Florida and known to be those of Jas. L. Tod, were brought here for burial today. Tod, who was a nephew of Governor Tod, of Ohio; disappeared ten years ago from Dayton and was never heard of. His remains were found in a swamp a few days ago near Daytona and were in fair state of preservation and were identified by a watch and other personal belongings known to have been worn by Tod. The cause of his death is a mystery.

CAPTAIN WARD,

Jordon and Holihy Blamed for the Golden Gate Disaster.

San Francisco, March 23.—The State Inspector of Boilers and Hulls rendered a decision fixing the responsibility for the loss of 127 lives in the wreck of the Pacific mail steamer, Rio de Janero. Captain Ward is blamed for allowing the steamer to leave its anchorage, pilot Jordan is blamed for attempting to enter the port during a dense fog and Chief of Engineers, Holihy, is blamed for not being at his post. His license has been revoked. The state pilots will deal with Jordan's case.

REVOLUTION IMMINENT.

A Deep Conspiracy to Overthrow the Russian Government.

London, March 23.—Most sensational stories are being brought out of Russia to the effect that plots are being planned on the Czar's life. That Nicholas has fled from St. Petersburg and is now secreted in his palace at Gatschine, 30 miles from the capital. Marshal law exists in St. Petersburg, Moscow and other large cities. In the conspiracy to overturn the government are officials so rich and powerful that the police do not know whom to trust and the empire seems to be on the verge of a revolution.

STOLEN WATCH

May be the Missing Link That Will Convict a Prisoner.

Salem, Mass., Mar.23.—A watch will probably convict John C. Best, of the murder of his brother-in-law. It has been admitted on the witness stand, that the prisoner had asked him to dig up a watch belonging to Geo. Bailey, the murdered man. The brother-in-law refused. The authorities have been told where the watch was and they found it as described by Best and also a sum of money. It is believed that this circumstance will settle the fate of Best.

GOODNESS

What a Slaughter This Would Cause

If Such a Law Were in Effect in This City.

The Arkansas Legislature Passes a Very Radical Measure to Restrict Gambling in the State.

Little Rock, March 23.—The house of representatives refused to reconsider the vote by which it passed the senate bill for the suppression of gambling. The bill imposes a fine of $500 to $1,000 for gaming, half the fine to go to the informant and half to the common school fund. It provides that if any prosecuting attorney, city attorney or mayor shall know or is informed of any violation of the act and shall refuse or neglect to prosecute, he shall, upon indictment and conviction, be fined, removed from office and disqualified thereafter from holding office in this state.

MIGHTY

Plot Against the Czar is Discovered.

Power of the Nihilists is Rapidly Spreading.

Czar Being Protected by Mechanism That Holds His Doors Closed — Lives in Armor Lined Chambers.

Berlin, March 23.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Cologne Volks Zeitung forwards news to the effect that there is evidence in St. Petersburg of the existence of a great plot against the authorities. He asserts that sums of money are being distributed to the factory hands in St. Petersburg and vicinity to induce them to join the disaffected students. The secret police no longer trust even the highest entourage of the czar. New precautions for the protection of the czar's life have been taken, namely, a mechanism which allows no one to open the door of the room in which the czar happens to be, and the walls of the czar's study and bedroom are lined with steel armor. The plot is said to be similar to the nihilist conspiracy, with Kieff as a center, the main branch at Odessa, and ramifications extending to all branches of society.

PIRACY

Is on the Increase on the West River in China.

While Three Pirates Were Being Beheaded a Ship Was Being Looted Three Miles Away.

Peking, March 23.—Robert M. McWade, the United States consul at Canton, reports a great increase in piracy on the West river. Ships are attacked by pirates even in sight of Canton, and their cargoes are stolen. Three pirates have been captured and beheaded in the presence of foreign consuls, and at the same time a ship was being robbed w[redacted] of the city, and a ste[redacted] ing to the Dutch co[redacted]

THE KOREA L[redacted]

New Port News, [redacted] ship Korea built for [redacted] lines, was launched [redacted] biggest steamer ever [redacted] Length over all 572 [redacted] 000.

TASK

For the British In South Africa

Is a Hard One

Since the Rejection of Peace Terms.

British Government and Lord Kitchener Criticized by the Press

For the Terms That Were Offered the Boers—Raiders Continue to Elude British Troops In Cape Colony.

London, March 23.—The latest dispatches from Bloemfontein show that the 200 Boers who were reported captured near Thaba N'Chu were refugees who surrendered voluntarily. They were in a bad plight and had recently been fighting under General Dewet and General Fourie.

With the exception of the pro-Boer organs, all the morning papers comment upon the peace negotiations, and recognize that the government has gone to the utmost point of leniency. The Daily Mail, which denounces the "weakness of the government" in the severest terms, says: "It was startled to find that the government had capitulated on so many vital points. The ministers have been willing to concede as much as any 'little Englander' administration would dare to grant, and have thereby administered a severe shock to the country's confidence. Our task in South Africa will now be harder than ever."

The pro-Boer Daily News, after observing that "the overtures made from the British side are not in the most dignified manner," says: "The reason for their rejection is quite plain. General Botha discovered, as Mr. Kruger did 18 months ago, that Mr. Chamberlain would raise his demands as fast as they were accepted." The papers in general criticise most strongly the dual language concession.

Eluding the British.

Cape Town, March 23. — The Boer raiders in the eastern portion of Cape Colony are, with the exception of almost daily skirmishes, keeping out of the reach of the British. Colonel Scovelle engaged Commandant Fouche and Commandant Malan near Blaaw krantz, March 20. Three British were killed and four wounded, and four Boers were killed. The number of Boers wounded has not been ascertained. Commandant Kritzinger is marching steadily northward. It is officially reported that General Dewet's commandoes have been broken up for the present. This is probably to give the men a rest.

Kitchener Criticised.

Berlin, March 23. — The German press severely criticises Lord Kitchener's conditions. "No wonder the Boers reject them," says the Berliner Post, "for such conditions would put the Boers on a level with West Indian mulattoes and Mestizos." The National Zeitung, in an elaborate discussion of Mr. Paul Botha's pamphlet, "A Boer to the Boers and the English," recommends it as "wise and impartial."

GENERAL

Rosecrans is Entitled to the Credit

And the Pretender is Finally Turned Down.

"Baldy" Smith Claimed That He Devised the Plan by Which the Army of the Cumberland Was Relieved.

Washington, March 22.—A controversy in which the veterans of the eastern and western armies who fought at Chattanooga have been in[redacted] by a [redacted] August [redacted] Major [redacted] sident [redacted] armies [redacted] s has [redacted] d not [redacted] plan [redacted] rland [redacted] y the [redacted] pplies [redacted] t by [redacted] l has [redacted] d by

POVERTY

And Hunger Caused a Woman to Kill Her Children.

Cold Brook, Mass., Mar. 23.—Mrs. Frank Naramore, who killed her six children, was well enough to be removed to the hospital in Worcester today. She says she was driven to the deed by poverty and hunger.

SEND IT TO OHIO.

St. Paul, Mar. 23.—A bill has passed both houses of the legislature making it a misdemeanor to smoke cigarettes, punishable with a fine of $50.

MYSTERY

Surrounds the Case of A Victim

Who Was Found With His Head Nearly Shot Off.

Regained Consciousness in Hospital at Connellsville But Refused to Tell How He Recieved the Wound.

Connellsville, Pa., March 23.—Joseph West, Jr., of Altoona, who was found lying on the river bank near here with his head almost shot off, and was taken to the Cotton State hospital, recovered consciousness and gave his name. He would tell nothing about his wound. The physicians say he can not recover. Word comes from Altoona that B. Maxwell, who went there from Connellsville, is under arrest pending an investigation into the death of West. Maxwell and West were marines on the school ship Saratoga. It is said the men, after drinking together, engaged in a quarrel.

SHOCKING

Suicide of a Farmer at Payne, O.

Blew His Body Into Fragments With Dynamite.

Despondency Over the Death of His Wife Believed to Have Been the Cause of His Terrible Deed.

Payne, O., March 23.—Samuel Haggerty, a prosperous and wealthy farmer living three miles south of town, committed suicide in a most shocking manner. He took a quantity of dynamite and went to the field, announcing his intention to blast stumps. Later a violent explosion alarmed the neighbors, and on investigation they found a few scattered remnants of the despondent man. Esquire Rubin was called and held an inquest, which established the fact that the deceased had placed several pounds of explosives in a large stump and deliberately lighted the fuse. Despondency over the loss of his wife is thought to have been the cause.

CREEDON

Wins from Billy Stift at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Stift was in Excellent Condition But Could Not Land On the Wily Australian Fighter.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 23.—Dan Creedon defeated Billy Stift easily in the fifth round before about 2,000 persons in the arena of the Whittington Park club. After the second round the only hope Stift's friends had of his winning was by a chance blow, and if he could not land, to keep away from the Australian and worry him down. Stift seemed in excellent condition and struck a vigorous blow, but he could not hit Creedon.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, March 23.—For Ohio, rain tonight and Sunday; warmer.

RESIGNATION

Of Attorney General Griggs Tendered the President To-day.

Washington, March 23.—Attorney General Griggs sent his resignation to the President this morning, to take effect March 31. The appointment of his successor will not be announced for several days.

STRIKE

Of the Marseilles Dockmen Assumes Wider Proportions.

Whole City Is Now Tied Up

And the Labor Exchange Has Voted to Assist the Strikers---Street Railway System Tied Up----Frequent Brushes With the Military.

Marseilles, March 23.—The men employed on the streetcar line in this city struck, and only a few cars are running. An attempt was made by the strikers to prevent the starting of any cars, but after a few fights the strikers were dispersed by the police. A few streetcars are running under protection of policemen. The strikers are very much excited. They attacked one car and cut the electric wires. A fight ensued and a detachment of mounted gendarmes charged and dispersed the rioters.

The Cannebiere (the most famous thoroughfare in Marseilles) and the leading thoroughfares are patrolled by cavalry. The storekeepers are anxious and a majority of the stores are closed. The streetcars have now ceased running. Reinforcements of dragoons and infantry arrived here from neighboring towns. The prefect has conferred with the military commander regarding the measures to adopt in view of the serious outlook. It is estimated that there are now 18,000 men out on strike or thrown out of work on account of the strikers. The strikers attacked streetcars on the outlying quarters of Marseilles and have smashed the essential parts of the mechanism. About 1,200 free laborers are working on the docks. They are strongly protected by troops.

Later the strikers attacked and wrecked two streetcars on the Cannebiere. The engineer and conductor were roughly handled. A detachment of gendarmes and hussars succeeded in rescuing the engineer and conductor amid the hooting and stone-throwing of the crowd.

The decision of the council of the labor union and the labor exchange in favor of a general strike, and their issuance of an invitation to all unions to cease work, has increased the gravity of the situation. The cabinet workers, the locksmiths, the engineers, the caulkers, the oil workers, the millers and the bakers' unions have either struck already or will do so shortly. A corps of military bakers from the neighboring garrisons is being organized to replace the bakers on strike. The mayor of Marseilles has convoked a meeting of deputies, general councillors and municipal councillors in the Marseilles town hall to consider the situation.

It appears that during the rioting the gendarmes fired not only in the air but into the crowd. A child was wounded in the shoulder, and a number of rioters were wounded. The disorders were due principally to bands of roughs having nothing in common with the strikers, and these were responsible for the stoning and pillaging of shops.

TWO SHOTS FIRED

At a Leading Russian Official But Both Missed the Mark.

TWO SHOTS FIRED——

St. Petersburg, March 23.—The Procureur Gen'l of the Holy Synod, M. Polsedonostzew, was sitting in his study when a man named Lagovsky shot at him twice through a window but missed both times. Lagovsky was arrested. In view of the disturbances which have occurred in St. Petersburg, any meeting or gathering in the streets or other public places is prohibited until penalty of a fine of 500 roubles or three months imprisonment. As the Procureur General of the Holy Synod, M. Polsedonostzew, is a member of the committee of Ministers, with the right of direct access to and communication with the Czar, he has long held a leading position in Russia and is noted for his narrow and reactionary policy in religious matters.

PATHETIC WAIL

Goes Up from England Over Her Loss of Prestige.

London, Mar. 23.—The Saturday Review says:—"Because of the fatal lack of a guiding principle, alternating between churlish resistenance and timid concession at Tien Tisn, we will lose prestige in the eyes of the world." England has been constantly defeated in all her Chinese disputes.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago, March 23.—Cattle 200, steady; hogs 17,000 5 cents lower; sheep 3,000 steady.

SMALL POX AT MUNCIE.

Muncie, Ind., Mar. 23.—There is said to be 300 cases of small pox here.

To Confer With the President.

San Juan, P. R., March 23.—Governor Allen, in the course of a fortnight, will leave for Washington to confer with President McKinley. Among other matters he will discuss with the president the questions of the customs fund held by the treasury, which is due to Porto Rico, and he will ascertain the president's desire with respect to the disposal of this fund. Mr. Allen will also advocate public improvements here, including road-making, and will call attention to other matters affecting local administration.

Rice Will Case.

New York, March 23.—Surrogate Fitzgerald fixed the date for the hearing of the contest over the will of William Marsh Rice, the Texas millionaire, for April 8 next. The application was made by attorneys who represent the executors of the first will executed by Mr. Rice, which was made four years ago. A second will, which is alleged to be a forgery, was drawn by Attorney Albert T. Patrick shortly before the old man's death, and made him the residuary legatee.

Confession a Subterfuge.

Dallas, Tex., March 23.—The following telegram was received from the chief of police of Omaha: "Henderson confession is a subterfuge to escape from other crimes he is charged with. We take no stock in it." The sheriff maintains that he has the right man, and expressed surprise that the Omaha authorities had declined to investigate. Henderson confessed to having been one of the Cudahy kidnapers.

Freight Trains Collide.

Pensacola, Fla., March 23. — Engineer Tobe Green of Montgomery and his colored fireman were killed and 20 cars were wrecked in a head-end collision of freight trains, half a mile north of Wilson, on the Montgomery and Mobile division of the Louisville and Nashville railroad. Both engines were badly damaged and several cars were smashed to splinters.

Danger of Complications.

London, March 23.—The Statist, after editorially discussing the possibilities of a conflict between Russia and Japan, says: "It is idle to deny that there is danger of complications. Nevertheless we think peace will be preserved, and trust that Russia will give satisfaction to Japan in Korea, thus removing danger of a rupture."

Distinguished Clergyman.

Wheeling, March 23. — Right Rev. Mgr. John T. Sullivan, 67, of the Wheeling diocese, is dead at St. Joseph's hospital, Parkersburg, W. Va. Mgr. Sullivan was formerly rector of St. Joseph's cathedral, this city, and vicar general of the diocese. He was lately appointed rector of Sacred Heart church, Charleston, W. Va.

Public Execution.

Kosciusko, Miss., March 23.—George Kelly, colored, was hanged for the murder of his wife last August. The hanging was public and was witnessed by 3,000 people.

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Emulates Mrs. Nation.

Mrs. Charles Rhodes of Port Huron, Mich., armed with a hammer instead of the usual hatchet, partially wrecked James Wilson's saloon in that city. She entered the place and asked for her son, who, it appears, hangs around Wilson's establishment. He was not there, but after giving the bartender a lecture the woman began her smashing. The bartender put her out but not until she had broken a glass case and ten bottles of whisky.

AN HONEST MEDICINE FOR LA GRIPPE.

George W. Waitt, of South Gardiner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North sts.

Persian Superstition.

The Persians still believe that human tears are a remedy for certain chronic diseases. At every funeral the bottling of mourners' tears is one of the chief ceremonial rites. Each of the mourners is presented with a sponge with which to mop off his face and eyes, and after the burial these sponges are presented to the priest, who squeezes the tears into bo[illegible]. This custom is one of the old[illegible] known in the east, and has prob[illegible] been practiced by the Persians [illegible] thousands of years.

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WITH AN ICEBERG

A Sealer Comes In Collision In a Dense Snowstorm.

St. Johns, N. F., March 23. — The sealer Aurora reports that on the night of March 11 the sealer Iceland collided with an iceberg, which crushed in her bows, carried away the jibboom, bowsprit and topmasts, tore up the foredeck and filled the forecastle with jagged beams that meant death for many had the crew been below. Fortunately all were above when the collision occurred, and only a few were injured. The ship was going at half speed in a dense snow storm. A regular stampede ensued among the crew, the boats were swung out and every preparation was made to leave. Luckily the ship, being continued to windward, resisted the force of the impact. Otherwise the 180 men on board would have had a terrible struggle for life.

Replies Unfaverable.

Philadelphia, March 23. — Answers have been received by President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America from some of the presidents of the anthracite coal-carrying companies to the letter sent under date of March 19, by himself and the presidents of the three United Mine Workers' districts, asking them to meet the United Mine Workers officials in a conference prior to April 1, so that a strike of the anthracite miners may be averted. It is reported the replies are unfavorable.

Destructive Storm.

Vancouver, B. C., March 23. — The steamer Miowera, which arrived here, brings advices of a terrific hurricane which swept the New Hebrides islands with destructive effect. New Caledonia in particular suffering from its devastating effects. The wind drove several vessels ashore and played havoc with the Nickel company's property. Trees were uprooted, plantations destroyed and houses wrecked, although there was no loss of life. At Tonga four good-sized ships were driven ashore and completely wrecked.

Miners and Operators Agree.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 23.—The Indiana bituminous operators and miners reached an agreement, and the annual contract was signed. The agreement provides for the acceptance of the operators' proposition on every point except one, that being the paragraph relating to the wages of day labor. The operators concede an advance in wages of day laborers from $2.10 to $2.25 per day.

German Jack the Ripper.

Berlin, March 23. — An unidentified person, supposed to be an escaped lunatic, has recently been committing outrages suggesting those committed by "Jack the Ripper" in the vicinity of Ludwighafen, Bavaria. During the last few nights he has made five attacks, in one case inflicting a serious if not fatal injury. All attempts to capture him have thus far failed.

Postoffice Cases.

Havana, March 23.—The papers in the postoffice fraud case have been ordered turned over to the fiscal, who hereafter will be the only representative of the government in the prosecution. Messrs. Rubens and Lamar, who were preparing evidence, will retire. This move is said to indicate an early trial.

Seamen Drowned.

London, March 23.—The brigantine Rose was wrecked off Whitstable, Kent, Wednesday. Seven of the crew clung to the rigging. Four dropped off and were drowned after becoming mad with suffering. The others were rescued, terribly exhausted, after exposure for 30 hours.

Deadlock Broken.

Cleveland, March 23.—The deadlock between the Longshoremen's union and the dock managers has been broken. At the conference the longshoremen receded from their demands for 14 cents a ton for unloading ore, and a compromise was effected on the basis of 13 cents.

Revolution Feared.

London, March 23.—The special dispatches from Marseilles represent the situation there as very serious. The Daily Mail's correspondent says: "The inhabitants are scared by the talk of revolution. Ten thousand troops will be here today and a state of siege will probably be proclaimed."

Turf Winners.

At San Francisco—Beau Ormonde, Hanchen, Kenilworth, Ogle, Mae Gyle, Impromptu.

At New Orleans—Charlie Daniels, Woodtrice, Tom Kingsley, Dissolute, Swordsman, Kid, Janowood.

THE MEAT OF IT.

Interesting News Notes From All Quarters of the Globe.

President appointed R. R. Twyman postmaster at Cairo, W. Va.

Filipino General Fullon and 180 o[redacted] his command surrendered at Antique, Panay.

Piano establishment of Rohlfing Company, Milwaukee, gutted by fire. Loss $150,000.

Fire damaged the Kerr-Murray machine works at Fort Wayne, Ind., the extent of $50,000.

Week's failures: In United Stat[redacted] 224, same week last year 182; in Canada 23, last year 27.

Paderewski's son Hyppolite died [redacted] Bilbao, Spain. Famous pianist to [redacted] tire from public life one year.

Thieves took $400 in goods [redacted] stamps from Chris Wiedle's gen[redacted] store and postoffice at Townsend [redacted]

Robert Moulton, a student, wh[redacted] home is in Springfield, Tenn., hel[redacted] New York, charged with shootin[redacted] theatrical man. Wound not serio[redacted]

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets assist the action of the "Discovery," when a laxative is required.

Facts About Norwegian Army.

According to late reports the Norwegian army is now on an excellent footing. Under the regulations all able-bodied men, except members of the clergy and pilots, are liable to service. There is a regular line army of about 25,000 men, which, according to law, can be employed abroad. There is a militia army of more than 25,000 men, called the landvern, who have already served in the line, and a second branch of the militia called the landstrum also of 25,000 men, who have served previously in the line and in the landvern. Then there is a coast artillery force of 4,500 men, making a total of 80,000 men to defend the nation.

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Goshen, Ill.

It is reported at the navy department that the battleship Illinois, now nearing completion at the Newport News shipyard, will be in readiness for her trial trip about the middle of February. The trial would have been made at an earlier date, but there was some delay on account of the armor plate for the vessel. Considerable interest is attached to the trial of this ship, as it is intimated that she will exceed in speed the records made by the Kearsarge and the Kentucky.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Surprised Them Both.

Marcus Clark, author of "His Natural Life," related to a friend that he had once discovered a French novel that he considered a work of genius. He translated it into English and when a Melbourne firm brought it out, publisher and translator were astounded at discovering that he had merely Englished a French translation of one of George Eliot's works.

Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo., writes. "I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years and have doctored with all the leading physicians and have tried all remedies suggested without any relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am sound and well."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Husband's Earnings $3. Per Week.

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ENGLAND'S NEW WARSHIPS.

Preparations for a Batch of 15,000-Ton Battleships.

Plans are now being prepared for a new batch of first-class battleships, that will out-Herod Herod in the matter of size. Hitherto we have kept our monsters of the deep down to 15,000 tons, as compared with 12,000 tons odd in the French, German, Russian and United States navies. But France in her latest ships, is going to 15,000 tons, and has talked of 18,000. The United States, which was once a partisan of "moderate dimensions," has gone up to 15,000 for her latest ships. On that displacement both nations have got more guns and armor than British designs provide. In order not to be left behind, and still to preserve various heavy fads deemed essential for British ships, our admiralty has decided to put on weight, and the new battleships, Queen and Prince of Wales, will be of 18,000 tons displacement. The armament is not yet definitely settled, but it will consist of four 12 inch Mark IX, and probably eight 7.5 inch, ten 6 inch, and twenty or more 3 inch (12-pounders). The 7.5 is a new gun, of which a good deal has been heard for some time, though it has not hitherto appeared afloat. It used to be known as the 7¾ inch, its caliber being 7.7 inches. Its adoption now is of a somewhat half-hearted nature, says the London Globe. Objections have been raised against it on the score of the weight of the projectile, 200 pounds, which is rather heavy for manual use. The recent vast improvements in armor—six inches of Krupp armor are equal to a foot of Harvey steel armor or eighteen inches of iron—have, however, rendered absolutely necessary, a more powerful weapon than the convenient 100-pounder 6 inch. Two years ago it was practically decided to mount the 7.5 inch gun in all new ships, but for some unaccountable reason the decision hung fire. A feature of the new ships is that, owing to their enormous bulk, they will, it is hoped, risk only comparatively small inconvenience from a torpedo. As that weapon can now be fired with accuracy at range of a mile or more the torpedo is a far more important weapon than it was four or five years ago. Submarines, too, are helping to make the torpedo a serious rival of the gun. Some measure of salvation lies in bulk, for the bigger the ship the more easily can systems of water-tight compartments be amplified.

FROG BREEDING.

Massachusetts Men Who Will Make a Business of It.

Some Boston capitalists propose to raise frogs on an elaborate scale. An organization has been perfected and land has been purchased, where artificial ponds are being constructed. They will be lined with cement, and the smallest will be ten feet long and three in width. In these ponds the process of breeding will take place, and at certain stages of development the little creatures will be transferred to ponds of greater dimensions. At the age of two years the animals would reach maturity. The food required for the frogs is of an extremely simple character and will cost but little, and it is expected that ultimately the company's investment will yield big returns. From 20,000 to 40,000 frogs will be grown annually, and if it is deemed advisable the yearly output will be increased to 100,000. While the product will be available for all the uses to which frogs will be put, dead or alive, the principal demand is expected to come from colleges and medical schools. It is averred that in the past such institutions have, through their inability to secure desirable specimens of the sort, have been seriously handicapped in the prosecution of experiments in medical research. Schools in the east, for example, have frequently been obliged during the winter to send to California for the animals which, upon their arrival here, have been unfit for analytical study. The Massachusetts frog breeders intend to remove the cause of all this inconvenience by supplying frogs in abundance the year round.

A New Fuel Found.

Near Rio Grande City, Texas, an immense deposit of unknown gaseous substance has been discovered. Pieces of it ignite quickly and give out a strong flame, which lasts for a remarkably long period. It is said by scientists that the substance is either an unknown mineral or ordinary clay highly charged with natural gas. In either case the value of the deposit as fuel is immense, as it covers many thousands of acres and is of immense depth.

HOW TO TREAT A BOOK.

It is better to give a book than to lend it.

Do not cut books except with a proper ivory paper knife.

Do not bite your paper knife until it has the edge of a saw.

Books are neither card racks, crumb baskets or receptacles for dead leaves.

"It is the ruination of a good book not to cut it right through into the corners.

Books were not meant as cushions, nor were they meant to be toasted before a fire.

Never write upon a title page or half title. The blank fly leaf is the right place.

Do not turn the leaves of books down. Particularly do not turn down the leaves of books printed on plate paper.

If you are in the habit of lending books do not mark them. These two habits together constitute an act of desecration.

These rules may seem self-evident, but in spite of that they are often ignored by those who ought to know better.—Arthur L. Humphreys in "The Private Library."

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Close Season for Herring.

The question of a close season for herring is again causing discussion. The Lewis and Harris Fishermen's association wants to have the close season from Feb. 1 to May 10 instead of from April 10 to May 10, as at present. The business men of Starnoway, Scotland, protest against this, and held a meeting the other night to air their views. The point at issue is whether the early spring fishing spoils the summer fishing by taking the herring over young, and that is a point nobody has been able to settle as yet. The Moray Firth Fishermen's association wants no close season at all, which shows the difference of opinion on the subject.

CHEAP INSURANCE.

Many a man has been insured against Bright's disease, diabetes, or other dangerous ailments by a fifty cent bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Education in the United States.

There are 244,527 school houses, dormitories and other buildings in the United States devoted to education, and they are valued at $524,689,253. There are 415,660 teachers—131,793 men and 283,867 women. In 1899 the people of the United States spent $197,-251,663 to educate their children, which is $2.67 per capita of population and $5.20 per capita of children of the school age.

"I had a running sore on my leg for seven years," writes Mrs. Jas. Forest of Chippewa Falls, Wis., "and spent hundreds of dollars in trying to get it healed. Two boxes of Banner Salve entirely cured it." No other salve so healing.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Emperor William is evidently highly pleased with his new imperial chancellor, for his majesty went in person to Graf Bulow's house and conferred upon him the high order of the Black Eagle; and, too, just before Christmas day, which seems rather to hint that the honor is an exceptionally great one and designed to give pleasure to the recipient at the time of universal rejoicing.

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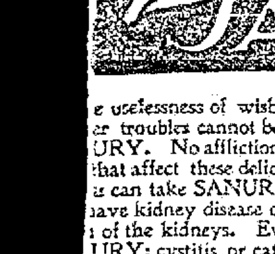
A cup of hot coffee is an unfailing barometer, if you allow a lump of sugar to drop to the bottom of the cup and watch the air bubbles arise without disturbing the coffee. If the bubbles collect in the middle the weather will be fine; if they adhere to the cup, forming a ring, it will either rain or snow; and if the bubbles separate without assuming any fixed position, changeable weather may be expected.



[redacted]e uselessness of wishing you were well is apparent. The cure of kidney and [redacted]er troubles cannot be attained by mere wishes, but it can be attained if you use [redacted]URY. No afflictions are the cause of more misery and suffering than the dis[redacted] that affect these delicate and most necessary organs of the human economy. [redacted]u can take SANURY with the most perfect confidence that it will cure you if [redacted]have kidney disease or any of the troubles due to a diseased or weakened con[redacted] of the kidneys. Even stone in the bladder, or kidney or gravel, will yield to [redacted]URY; cystitis or catarrh of the bladder, inflammation of the bladder and all [redacted]rmal conditions of the urine, if foul smelling, turbid or scalding, are readily [redacted]d by this wonderful remedy. Men and women alike suffer from these dis[redacted]s, which are very common, and are equally benefited by the use of SANURY. [redacted]ANURY will not only help you but cure you.

SANURY sells at One Dollar per Bottle at all Drug Stores. Prepared by SIMMS MEDICINE CO., St. Louis, Mo.

ALKANESIA is the cure for Dyspepsia. At all druggists. $1.00 a Bottle.

DR. FENNER'S
Family Medicines.

Cough Honey. For Coughs, Colds, Grip, or "Cold" in ANY PART of body.

Kidney and Backache CURE. COLMAN, Mich., Sept. 27, 1900. For a whole year I could do no work and walked only by holding on to a chair. I doctored with four different physicians but received no relief. The use of two bottles of Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure gave me a perfect cure. J. M. McKINNEY.

Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic Great Blood Cleansing Remedy for Spring. Headaches, Constipation, "Tired," Nervous. GENEVA, Crawford Co., Pa., June 18, 1900. Three years ago I had a severe attack of Erysipelas and blood poison, breaking out on my head and face. My physician attended me for several months without result. I then took 3 bottles of Dr. Fenner's Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic and secured a complete cure. FRANK BARRKAN.

Dyspepsia Cure MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Sept. 7, 1900. My wife has suffered long with dyspepsia. I tried all of the pepsin preparations and all of my own prescriptions without avail. I finally prescribed Dr. Fenner's Dyspepsia Cure and the use of it effected a cure. Many other similar cases that have come under my observation have been cured by his Dyspepsia Cure. Dr. F. J. LEBANGOOD.

Golden Relief My Dear Dr. Fenner, Fredonia, N. Y. I have used Dr. Fenner's Golden Relief for many years for the diseases and accidents for which it is advertised and have found it fully equal to all you claim for it. J. BOYD ESPY, Presiding Elder M. E. Church. Used for Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Old Sores, Sprains, Colds, Grip, Sore Throat, Colic, Dysentery, Bowel Troubles, it is unfailing.

St. Vitus' Dance DR. M. M. FENNER, Fredonia, N. Y. Akron, Ohio, June 1900. "We have sold many dozens of your St. Vitus' Dance Specific and every case has been cured by it. It has proved a blessing here." ALLEN-CLARK DRUG CO.

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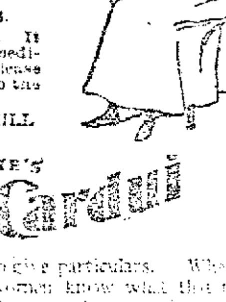
How a Woman Suffers.



HOWELL, IND., Nov. 25.

I will always praise Wine of Cardui. It has done me more good than all the medicines I have ever taken in my life. Please send a book about female diseases to the ladies whose names I enclose.

Mrs. MINNIE STODGHILL.

McELREE'S Wine of Cardui

It isn't necessary for a woman to give particulars. When she says she has "female troubles", other women know what that means. It means days and nights of endless suffering. It means head[illegible] no tongue can describe. It means that terrible bearing and [illegible] down in the lower abdomen. It means agonizing backache and [illegible] ache, and arm ache, and aches in the lower limbs. It means nerves [illegible] edge—the blues—despondency and loss of hope. It means debilitating drains that the doctors call leucorrhœa. It means martyrdom. Sometimes even death seems preferable. And still Wine of Cardui will [illegible] put those diseases [illegible]. It has cured thousands of cases when nothing else on earth would. To the budding woman, to the bride, to the wife, to the expectant mother, to those going through the Change of Life, this Vegetable Wine is a blessing.

LADIES' ADVISORY DEPARTMENT. For advice in cases requiring special directions, address, giving symptoms, Ladies' Advisory Dept., The CHATTANOOGA MEDICINE CO., Chattanooga, Tenn.

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An Unknown Gaseous Substance.

Near Rio Grande City, Texas, an immense deposit of an unknown gaseous substance has been discovered. Pieces of it ignite quickly and give out a strong flame, which lasts for a remarkably long period. It is said by scientists that the substance is either an unknown mineral or ordinary clay highly charged with natural gas. In either case the value of the deposit as fuel is immense, as it covers many thousands of acres and is of immense depth.

NIGHT WAS HER TERROR.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when all other medicines failed, three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, cor. Main and North streets.

In Sweden a very original idea is to gather from near and far at the commencement of the new century all Swedes, Norwegians and foreigners interested in sport and folk-lore, and to offer them an opportunity of studying the Scandinavian games and exercises, which, like those of the ancient Greeks, largely contribute to the strength, hardiness and agility of the people. They can at the same time take cognizance of the national music and dances, which help to keep the Swedes and Norwegians cheerful and contented during their long winters.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

The copartnership heretofore existing between L. W. Mowery and E. W. Shuler, under the firm name of Mowery and Shuler, is this day dissolved by mutual agreement.

L. W. Mowery will continue the business, at 325 south Main street, Lima, Ohio.

L. W. Mowery assumes and will pay all debts of Mowery and Shuler, and will collect all debts and accounts due said firm.

MOWERY & SHULER.
L. W. MOWERY,
E. W. SHULER.

March 16, 1901. 32-2w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. [illegible]

Ex. Doc. [illegible]

Lizzie E. Metzger, Plaintiff, Allen [illegible]

vs.

Mortimer Bredrick et al., Defendants.

By virtue of a writ of [illegible] issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 20th, A. D. [illegible]

Between the hours of one o'clock and [illegible] o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being the north part of inlot number forty-nine hundred and forty-six [illegible] and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the northeast corner of said inlot number forty-nine hundred and forty-six (No. 4946); thence south [illegible] east line of said lot seventy [illegible]; thence west fifty (50) feet to the west line of said lot; thence north one hundred and nineteen (119) feet to Bellefontaine avenue; thence in a southeasterly direction sixty-five (65) feet to the place of beginning, and being Jacobs sixth addition to the City of Lima, Ohio, and located on Bellefontaine avenue between Sugar and [illegible] streets, for the sum of twenty-three hundred and thirty-three ($2333.40) Dollars.

Appraised at $2333.40.

Terms of sale cash.

E. A. BOGART, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, March 18th, 1901.
T. R. HAMILTON, Plaintiff's Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 10549.

Ex. Doc. 18.

Mahala Coon, Plaintiff, Allen Common Pleas.

vs.

Bruce Geech et al., Defendants.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 20th, A. D. 1901,

Between the hours of one o'clock and [illegible] o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

The undivided one-half (½) of the following described premises, situate in the City of Lima, County of Allen and State of Ohio, to-wit: Being a part of inlots numbers twenty-eight hundred and forty-one and twenty-eight hundred and forty-two (2841 and 2842) in Climer's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point thirty (30) feet west of the south east corner of inlot number twenty-eight hundred and forty-two (2842) on the north line of Albert street; thence north one hundred and six (106) feet to the north line of said inlot number twenty-eight hundred and forty-one (2841); thence west along the said north line of said lot thirty (30) feet; thence south one-hundred and six (106) feet to the north line of Albert street; thence east on said south line thirty (30) feet to the place of beginning, the same being situated on the north side of Albert street, between Pine street and Madison avenue, house No. [illegible]

Appraised at $800.00.

Terms of sale cash.

E. A. BOGART, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, March 19th, 1901.
KENNOUR & HALFHILL, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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GOLD CROWNS, 22 K fine, $5.00.
BRIDGE WORK, per tooth $4.00.
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Mayor's Proclamation

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

In compliance with the requirements of the law of the state of Ohio, I, William McComb, Jr., mayor of the city of Lima, hereby notify the qualified voters of said municipal corporation that on the first day of April, 1901, between the hours of 5:30 a. m. and 5:30 o'clock p. m. within said corporation, an election will be held for the purpose of choosing the following officers for said corporation to-wit:

One Justice of the Peace.
One Water Works Trustee.
One Councilman from each ward.
One Assessor from each ward.
One Member on the Board of Education from each ward.

Given under my hand and official seal at my office in said corporation, this 21st day of March, 1901
[SEAL] WM. McCOMB, JR.,
Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio.
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NOTICE FOR PAROLE.

Notice is hereby given that Charles Hall, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio State Reformatory, has been recommended to the Board by the Superintendent and Chaplin as worthy of consideration for parole or discharge.

Said application will be for hearing on and after April 16, 1901. 6013w*

Head-quarters

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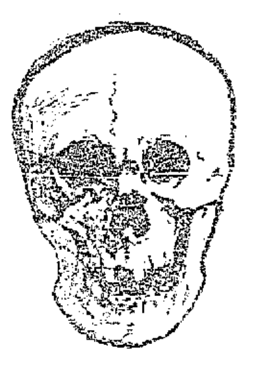

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TOPICS

For Divine Services Tomorrow

Where the Day of Rest is Observed.

Hours at Which Religious Services Will be Held in the City. Interesting Sermons are Promised.

West Market Presbyterian Church.

West Market and West streets. Preaching by the pastor, Robert J. Thomson, D. D. Subject at 10:30 a. m.: "The Strength of Weakness." At 7:30 p. m., the second of four sermons on how to make life tell; subject: "Stating Something." Sunday school, 9:15; Junior Endeavor, 3; Senior Endeavor, 6:30 o'clock; prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m. A cordial welcome to all.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Corner west North and Elizabeth streets, Rev. F. P. Bossart, pastor. Services at 10:15 a. m., and 7 p. m. Morning subject: "Help for the Penitent." Evening subject: "The Doctrine of the Sacraments." Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Junior League at 6:15 p. m; Doctrinal lecture, Tuesday, 7 p. m.; Lenten services, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.; Catechism, Saturday, 2 p. m. The seats are free and all are welcome.

U. B. Church,

Corner of Spring and Union streets, L. C. Reed, pastor. Sabbath school at 9 a. m.; preaching at 10, subject: "How Can We Make Church Work Helpful to Each Other;" preaching at 7:30, subject: "Monument Building;" Junior Young Peoples services at 2:30; Young People's Christian Union at 6:30. The ladies of the church will hold a Bazarr at the court house, Saturday, March 30. Also serve dinner and supper. Prayer meeting at 7:30.

Union Street Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.: morning services at 10:15 o'clock, theme: "The Everlasting Gospel." The choir will sing: "O Father Hear Us" by Main and "Rock of Ages" by Millard. A short congregational meeting will be held at the close of the morning service. Luther League meets at 6:15 p. m.; evening Lenten services at 7 o'clock. We desire to have a full attendance at these services. Strangers at these services. Strangers welcome. Carl Ackermann, pastor.

South Side Church of Christ.

Corner Central avenue and Kibby streets, Rev. Clarence Mitchell, pastor. There will be regular preaching at this church by the pastor both morning and evening. Morning services at 10:30 and evening service at 8:15; Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Junior Endeavor at 6 p. m.; special prayer service at 7:30 next Thursday night. Everybody invited to these services.

Main St. Presbyterian Church

Rev. E. S. Brusberger, of Leipsic, will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.; Sabbath school at 9:30 in the morning; C. E. at 6:30 p. m. W. G. Smith, pastor.

German Reformed Church

On west Wayne street. Sunday school promptly at 9 a. m.; regular services at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. Lenten services Wednesday evening. The catechetical class will be examined on Palm Sunday and confirmed on Easter day, when the Lord's supper will also be celebrated. Paul H. Land, pastor.

Spring Street Lutheran Church.

Corner west Spring and Pierce streets. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; worship and sermon at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Junior Endeavor at 2 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. Everybody welcome. I. J. Miller, pastor.

Christian Catholic Church.

Salvation healing, holy living. Services at Zion tabernacle, south Main street, every Lord's day at 9:30, 10:30, 2:30 and 7. Subject at 2:30, "The Theater, the Morbid Character of Its Adherents, Versus, the True Character of Man, a Son of God." S. Moot, elder in charge.

Trinity M. E. Church.

Services at Trinity, Sunday, March 24; class meeting at 9 a. m.; preaching at 10 a. m., by the pastor; Sunday school at 11:30; Junior League at 3 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:30; evening service at 7:30.

Calvary Reformed Church.

High street and Park avenue. Sunday school at 9:15. Preaching at [redacted] subject, "The Mode of Baptism" [redacted] subject, "Bread [redacted] at 2 p. m. [redacted] Prayer and [redacted] evening at [redacted] ay evening. [redacted] A. D. Wolf-

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[redacted] C. H. & D. [redacted] at 1:30. Y. [redacted] g service at [redacted] ation of Ra- [redacted] 11:31. Bible [redacted] m., subject, [redacted] Man." Prayer [redacted] vening. A. D.

First Church of Christian Scientist.

Second floor Masonic building. Sunday morning service at 11:30, subject, "Reality;" golden text, Psalms 100: 5. Sunday school follows morning service. Testimonial meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. The public invited to all services and to the reading room, which is open every afternoon, except Sunday, from 2 to 5, and on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 7 to 9. Here may be found all literature on the subject of "Christian Science."

Christ Church (Protestent Episcopal).

North and West streets. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Evening sermon at 7. Lenten services daily; Wednesday and Friday at 7 p. m., other days at 4 p. m. All are cordially invited. Seats all free.

West Wayne St. Church of Christ.

W. A. Brandige, pastor; residence 207 north West street. Bible school at 9:15. Junior C. E. at 3. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Prof. Hardy will deliver an address at 10:30; hear him. The pastor will preach at 7:15. Ladies' Aid society Tuesday afternoon in Endeavor rooms. Prayer meeting on Thursday night. Choir practice tonight. All are cordially invited to these services.

DR. A. L. THOMAS

A Well Known Wapakoneta Physician, is Dead.

Dr. A. L. Thomas, of Wapakoneta, died yesterday morning and the remains will be buried Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m. at West Cairo, the deceased's former home.

Helped a Poor Artist.

The million left by Sam Lewis, the notorious London usurer, and the benefactions that have come to light since his death continue to be a nine-days' wonder among his acquaintances in London. Beginning his career as money lender comparatively late and very humbly, he made money with marvelous rapidity. One reason for this was that he never lost any, or hardly ever, even at the gaming tables, where he was delighted to take his turn. To the poor people who constantly applied to him for loans he always replied that a poor person could not afford to borrow. An artist not long ago paid a visit to the financier and told his story over the cigar and glass of wine which Sam Lewis had always at hand. The artist's request was a modest one—he wanted only £50. "I could not afford to lend it to you," said the prince of usurers, "but I don't mind asking your acceptance of it"—and he handed the astonished applicant a £50 note. This story, which the narrator vouches for, seems to belie the assertion lately made that in Sam Lewis' case only "the dead hand" has parted with possessions on which the living hand opened never.

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FORMER

Van Wert Boy Figures in a Tragedy.

Dr. J. F. Clark Kills His Partner During a Quarrel at Ouray, Colorado.

An Associated Press dispatch yesterday sent from Ouray, Colorado, announced that in a quarrel Dr. J. Fred Clark had killed his partner, Dr. H. E. Burroughs. Dr. Clark is a son of Wm. A. Clark, of Van Wert, and was born and reared in that town. He had been a student at Rush Medical College, Chicago, and after practing for a while at Toledo opened an office at Ouray.

The particulars of the tragedy were not given, but a letter received a few days ago by Dr. Clark's father told of trouble between the two physicians and that Dr. Burrough, in the presence of witnesses, had threatened to kill his partner.

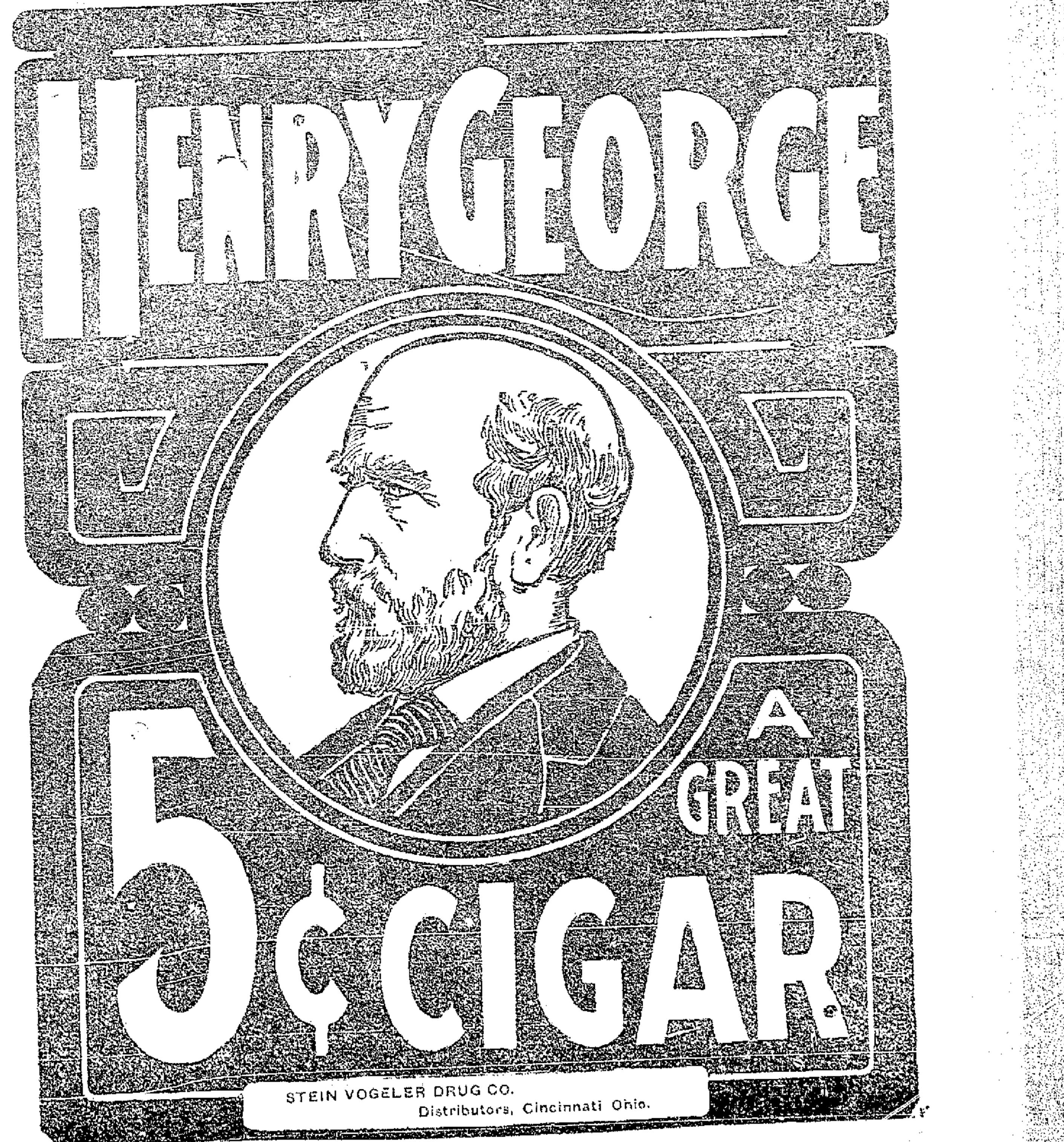
The North Carolina experimental station has discovered that the flavor of eggs is determined by the feed. After giving hens chopped onions for two weeks the eggs became so disagreeable in flavor that they could not be used. When shorts, cotton seed meal and skim milk increased the number of eggs laid, but the eggs had a disagreeable flavor. Cracked corn and corn dough resulted in fewer eggs, but larger ones and of better flavor.

A SHRINE IN MEXICO.

In the Great Church Is "Miraculous Painting of the Virgin."

At Guadaloupe, a few miles from the plaza in the City of Mexico, is the holiest shrine in Mexico. An electric line built over the old Aztec causeway is worked to its full capacity, carrying the pilgrims, while thousands are walking. Here are some strange sights: Friends carrying their dead to the shrine for the final blessing; the lame, the halt, and the blind, all wending their weary way to this penacea of all ills; venders of knick-knacks and lottery tickets, fighting clocks in baskets, burros laden with wares and peons staggering along under a jug of pulque; these form a strange medley of dark-skinned humanity and unique objects. The objective point of this mass is at the base of a volcanic rock hill, where one finds the mira[illegible] spring within a gorgeous chapel, and the great church; while upon the hill is the Capilla del Cerrito, backed by the Pantheon, which contains hundreds of richly decorated tombs, among which we find that of Santa Anna. The great church contains the "miraculous" painting of the Virgin, surmounted by a crown worth [illegible]. The [illegible] ing to the altar and the two stairways is said to contain 26 tons of pure silver, and the paintings, images and decorations are on a scale of equal magnificence. In front of this church are a dozen or more gambling establishments, several cock-pits, a merry-go-round, booths and markets, and all the accompaniments of a first-class Indian fiesta or a Donnybrook fair.

Berlin now contains 1,000 donkeys, which have been imported in the last eighteen months to take the place of dogs as beasts of draught. The change is due to the agitation of the S. P. C. A.



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For Justice of the Peace.
WILLIAM E. REILLY.

For Water Works Trustee.
JOHN THOMPSON.

For Member City Council.
First Ward.
J. W. SHANNAHAN.
Second Ward.
JACOB J. HAEGE.
Third Ward.
G. M. McCULLOUGH.
Fourth Ward.
ELMER E. WELKER.
Fifth Ward.
ED. S. MOSES.
Sixth Ward.
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Seventh Ward.
MICHAEL O'NEILL.

For Assessors.
First Ward.
WILLIAM GALLAGHER.
Second Ward.
JOHN NOONAN.
Third Ward.
P. P. SMITH.
Fourth Ward.
JOHN J. SULLIVAN.
Fifth Ward.
A. C. WOOD.
Sixth Ward.
FRANK PHINNEY.
Seventh Ward.
J. F. HUTCHINS.

For Members School Board.
First Ward.
JAMES DONAHUE.
Third Ward.
ANNIE DISMAN.
Fifth Ward.
JOEL SPIKER.
Seventh Ward.
H. S. PROPHET.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

STATE SENATOR.

Please announce the name of J. B. SUNDERLAND as Allen County's candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of STEPHEN D. CRITES, of Elida, as a candidate for the endorsement of the Allen county Democracy at its April primary, as a candidate for the nomination for State Senator at the district convention.

REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. H. ROUSH, of Bath township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. MANGES, of Richland township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of R. C. EASTMAN, of Lima, as a candidate for Representative from Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. STATES, of Monroe township, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. J. BARR, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of HENRY VAN GUNTEN, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. E. GRUBB, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE A. HEFFNER, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce the name of ALBERT HEFNER, of Perry township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. F. GETZ, of Bath township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. GENSEL as a candidate for renomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

CORONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. T. M. JOHNSON, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. ANDREW BICE, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

THE CITY TICKET.

The Democracy present an excellent ticket for the suffrages of the voters this spring. The ticket is headed by W. E. Reilly as the candidate for Justice of the Peace. Mr. Reilly is one of the most popular young men in Lima, and very deservedly so. He has for years been connected with the L. E. & W. Railway Co. in a most important and responsible position and his duties were performed in the most exemplary and satisfactory manner. Every person with whom he came in contact during his business life in Lima is a friend of his and will support him in his contest for election. When elected he will perform the duties of the important office of Justice of the Peace with the same fidelity that has characterized his private affairs.

For Water Works Trustee the Democracy present the name of John Thompson, the grocer, one of the substantial business men of the south side. The party could not have made a better selection than Mr. Thompson. For years he has conducted a prosperous business in this city, and he is popular with every one. He is careful and conservative in his business dealings, and the people want just such a man as that on the Board of Water Works Trustees. A man who is careful in his private affairs will be careful of those of the city and the taxpayers are fully aware of that fact. They know Mr. Thompson to possess all the requirements of a model member of the board and will see that he is elected.

For members of the Council, for members of the School Board, and for Assessors of the various wards the Democracy present able and competent candidates who will attend carefully and conscientiously to the business entrusted to them.

The ticket is strong from top to bottom, and is one which commends itself to the earnest and enthusiastic support of those voters who want a clean administration of the city's affairs.

The demands of the city are for competent officials in every department of the public service, and such is the character of the candidates whom the Democracy present for the consideration of the voters and for their suffrages on election day.

ARCHIE'S DISCOVERY.

The editor of the Lima Gazette has made a discovery!—He says that he found a retraction in the TIMES-DEMOCRAT last night.

Now that is just like editor Archie. He's always finding something—that does not exist. It is not long since he discovered a dead soldier who had fallen dead in his sister's arms out on Elm street, and through his discovery assisted a fraud in buncoing a number of Lima people out of quite a sum of money before the end of the following day when the TIMES-DEMOCRAT exposed the rank fake which the Gazette had been gulled upon.

The dead soldier fake was not one whit more palpable than the "retraction" which Archie claims to have discovered in last night's TIMES-DEMOCRAT.

The paragraph which the Gazette quotes as inspiring the article in last evening's TIMES-DEMOCRAT, under the heading "Erroneous Idea Corrected" did not enter into the matter in the slightest degree. On the contrary a statement made that the TIMES-DEMOCRAT had contained the assertion that the local board of equalization had increased the valuations in Lima over $300,000 brought forth the article. A careful scrutiny of all the articles published in these columns failed to discover any such statement or inference. Yet the idea existed in the minds of people that the board had made the very large increase in the city valuations above mentioned. Hence our article of yesterday quoting exact figures and showing just what had been done in order that the public might not unjustly judge the board. As is always the case in the TIMES-DEMOCRAT the figures used yesterday were obtained from official sources and are reliable.

The TIMES-DEMOCRAT has no retraction to make. It stands pat on both its articles.

FRED HEROLD

Again Insists That He is Not a Candidate for Councilman.

Notwithstanding the fact that I protested against being a candidate for member of the city council from the Sixth ward, I am informed that the local board of deputy supervisors of elections has had the city election ballots printed with my name on those for the Sixth ward. I still, for very good reasons, decline to be a candidate for the office and my friends will do me a favor by writing the name of some other worthy Democrat on their ballots.

Very respectfully,
FRED HEROLD.

SPRINGFIELD

Business Man to Speak at the Y. M. C. A. Tomorrow.

Mr. T. J. Kirkpatrick, of Springfield, will address a meeting for men at the Young Men's Christian Association building Sunday afternoon. Mr. Kirkpatrick is one of the most prominent of Springfield's business men, being manager of the Crowell & Kirkpatrick Co., the well known publishers. He has been a worker and supporter of the association in Springfield since it was started, just before the Lima association was organized. He is a fine speaker, and it is fortunate to have the chance to hear him.

Every family should have its household medicine chest, and the first bottle in it should be Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's remedy for coughs and colds.

LOUIE SCHICK

Jumped Work House Fence and Escaped Today.

Was Serving Out Ten Days and $8.60 for Assault and Battery. A Bicycle Stolen.

Louie Schick, who, four days ago, was sent to the city work house to serve a sentence of ten days imprisonment and to work out a fine of $8.60 for assaulting a young man named Hendricks, jumped his job today. While guard Hitchcock of the work house was not watching, Schick scaled the fence on the south of the work house this morning and he hasn't been seen since.

A bicycle belonging to Mrs. Gillett was stolen from in front of Boone's hardware store today and while the police were searching for it the thief returned it.

Inspect Your V's.

Washington, March 22.—Chief Wilkie of the secret service has announced the appearance of a new counterfeit $5 national bank note on the National Iron bank of Morristown, N. J. It is a deceptive counterfeit, printed on two pieces of paper, between which silk fibre has been distributed. The face of the note, apparently printed from an engraved plate, is defective in detail. The word "cashier," abbreviated in the genuine to "cash'r," appears in the counterfeit as "cash."

To Race For a Princely Purse.

Boston, March 22.—A race for a $50,000 purse, made up of $10,000 a corner and $20,000 added, by Thomas W. Lawson, between Charlie Herr, Cresceus and Boralma, is announced by Mr. Lawson. A statement issued by the latter says that the race will be at Readville, Mass., in the week beginning Sept. 16, all the gate receipts to go to charity. The race will be handled by the New England Trotting Horse Breeders' association.

Havana's Health.

Washington, March 23. — A report has been received at the war department from General Wood, showing that the death rate for the city of Havana for the month of February was 19.3 per 1,000, which is said to be below the average of most American cities. The death rate, it is stated, steadily decreases, and this is taken as an indication of improved sanitary conditions.

On the Rocks.

Key West, March 23.—The Austrian steamer Styria, Captain Usigovich, which sailed from New Orleans on March 17 with a cargo of cotton, staves, etc., for Trieste, via Newport News, went on the rocks at French Reef, 40 miles south of Miami, Fla. The vessel is reported to be bilged on. The captain has sent here for pumps. Wreckers have gone to the assistance of the vessel.

PORTO RICAN CUSTOMS.

Island Should Get Benefit of the Tax Imposed.

M'KINLEY'S UNFAIR TREATMENT.

His Course Cannot Be Defended Upon the Ground of Strict Honesty and Fair Dealing—We Stand Convicted of a Scandalous Breach of National Faith.

That was not only an interesting point that was raised by Senator Morgan the other day against the proposal of Senator Foraker that the revenues from customs collected in this country on imports from Porto Rico shall be forthwith expended for the use and benefit of Porto Rico itself, says the New York Times. It is a conclusive point. We must cover all our revenue into the treasury before we can appropriate any of it out. The only wonder is that this point should not have been raised during all the discussion in congress last year.

It concerns what may almost be called the personal honor of the administration that the revenue derived from Porto Rican commerce should inure to the benefit of Porto Rico. When the Porto Rican tariff was first proposed, a considerable number of American citizens took the ground that to tax these innocent and friendly islanders for their innocence and their friendliness would be an act of the grossest perfidy and bad faith. This journal took that view; the president took that view. On the other hand, it was argued that to plead the essential right of Porto Rico to be treated as an integral part of the United States would be to make a "bad precedent."

There were other dependencies of the United States, it was pleaded, which would take advantage of such a precedent to make trouble for us. The president's own course in the matter could with difficulty be defended upon the ground of strict honesty and fair dealing. Having begun by asserting that "plain duty" required us to make a strict zollverein between Porto Rico and ourselves, he brought up by assenting to the proposition, asserted by all the special organs of the administration, that it did not make any practical difference, since all the revenue derived from Porto Rico at either end was to be returned to Porto Rico. To secure the return of the money to Porto Rico was evidently the purpose of Senator Foraker's amendment. And against this is the very plain and lawyerlike objection of the senator from Alabama that evidently this thing cannot be constitutionally done; that the money must be in the treasury before congress can vote it out.

Now, the decent treatment of the Porto Ricans—those friendly people who have hailed us as deliverers and who have never added a feather's weight to our troubles—is, as the president said a year and a half ago, our "plain duty." If we do not give them absolute free trade, we must give them "something equally as good." The well meant effort of the senator from Ohio is inadmissible, as the senator from Alabama has so clearly shown. Congress must devise some other means of reaching the desired end. But we absolutely must reach the end. Otherwise we shall stand convicted of a scandalous and damning breach of national faith.

SPIRIT OF FAIRNESS.

Should Be Extended to Filipinos as Well as the Cubans.

In our dealings with Cuba we should be absolutely true, honest and just, says the Kansas City Times. To be true, honest and just we must not intimidate the people of the island which we declared at the outset ought to be free from making concessions which they do not want to yield and would not consent to except because of our superiority of power.

Let them write their own constitution. Permit them, uninfluenced by force, to make acknowledgment of their obligations to us as a nation.

Any other course will be a dishonorable one upon our part.

But if we are to treat Cubans honorably, why should we not be equally as true, honest and just to the Filipinos?

When the United States entered the Philippines, they did not do so as enemies of the Filipinos, but as their friends and allies. They went under the declaration by the president that the war was not one of conquest, but one of liberation. The same spirit of fairness and consideration should be extended to the Filipinos that is advocated for the Cubans. The one should have liberty. So should the other.

"Can it be that the national honor is so cheap that it must give way in order to recover the cost of a small war? Has the United States made glorious departure in international humanitarianism only to destroy the glory of that precedent? It were better that the war should have been waged for avowed aggrandizement than that the country should now be called upon to disavow its professions of altruism."

Gage and His Conscience.

The title to the old custom house building in New York is allowed to remain in the name of the United States, says an exchange. It means while the Standard Oil bank, which bought it, escapes paying taxes on it at the same time the bank collects a good round rental for it from the government. Secretary Gage does not appear to be as "conscientious" about this matter as he was when he placed a countervailing duty upon Russian sugar in order to keep the poverty stricken sugar trust from collapsing.

RODE

From Peoria, Ill., to Findlay

In a Box Car

In Which He Was Found Nearly Dead.

Believed to Have Been Sand Bagged and Robbed at Peoria,

And Was Thrown Into an L. E. & W. Car While Unconscious. Other News of the Railroads.

Findlay, O., Mar. 23.—More than half starved and semi-unconscious, Thomas Russell was taken by L. E. & W. employes from a sealed box car last night almost starved to death. He remembers getting off of a passenger train at Peoria, Ill., and then all was a blank. It is supposed he was sand bagged, his money taken, and he was then thrown into the L. E. & W. car where he was found. He has been sent to his home in eastern Pennsylvania.

G. A. R. RATE FIXED.

An important meeting of railway men was held at Cleveland yesterday, at which the one-cent a mile rate promised for the Grand Army of the Republic encampment, to be held in Cleveland next September, was formally promulgated. This fixes the railroad rate absolutely and finally. In St. Louis January 21 last the governing committee of the Grand Army accepted the rate and the encampment was located at Cleveland. The General Passenger association appointed a committee to fix rate, formulate ticket conditions and make other arrangements to govern for the thirty-fifth Grand Army encampment. This action governs the rate in territory going and returning from and to all points in Central Passenger association territory. The rate will also be tendered to the connecting lines and outside territory for basing purposes.

NOTES.

Fred J. Fisher, former clerk to Northern Ohio roadmaster Anderson, who was recently transferred to this city, is now engaged with the L. E. & W. at Portland, Ind.

Dispatcher B. W. Tharp, of the C. H. & D., returned yesterday evening from Washington, C. H., where he was called by the illness of his father. The latter rallied from his attack and is slightly improved.

Conductor J. E. Purcell, of the L. E. & W., is visiting friends in Cleveland.

A wheelman's tool bag isn't complete without a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Heals cuts, bruises, stings, sprains. Monarch over pain.

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THE IDLER.

The government recruiting office has again been opened in the Commercial block and applicants are being enlisted for all branches of the service.

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Ingledue & Co.'s delivery wagon has just been turned out of Sweeney & Farrington's shop where it received a new coat of paint and varnish and new lettering.

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The boys in the offices of the Buckeye building feasted on oranges yesterday which came direct from the California groves. They were of the finest variety and unlimited in quantity, as Tim Spellacy, in his kind remembrance of the boys had taken a careful guage of their appetites.

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The valuation of the city of Columbus was reduced by the state board of equalization yesterday to the extent of eight per cent. A motion to reduce it seven per cent. was proposed. An amendment to make it ten per cent. was lost. The eight per cent. proposition was carried. The board refused to restad the increase of ten per cent. on city of Ashtabula and ten per cent. on Wyandot county farm lands as requested. Logan county was passed as returned. The board adjourned until next Tuesday morning.

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Ed. Cunningham is looking after the work of unloading the iron for the bridges along the route of the Lima-St. Marys electric line. Everything is progressing finely and now that the first rails have arrived it will not be long until the gangs of workmen will be engaged in placing them.

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Conductor and Mrs. W. E. Stont, of 1205 east High street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a handsome ten-pound boy who made his appearance yesterday morning to add sunshine to their home.

TUESDAY.

A stated conclave of Shawnee commandery, No. 14, K. T., will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Important business. All members invited. F. A. ZIMMERMAN, E. C.
E. H. JOHNS, Rec.

ORIENTAL RUGS.

A. Simoyan, the well-known dealer in Oriental Rugs, will be in Lima about the middle of April with a choice collection of rare Eastern rugs, which the ladies of Lima will be pleased to see.

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CARRIE COMING.

She Will Lecture in the Queen City Next Thursday.

Topeka, March 23.—Mrs. Nation leaves Monday for Cincinnati. She expects to lecture there Thursday and if arrangements can be made in Cleveland Friday. She went to Atchison, Kansas today and will also speak at Leavenworth, Kansas, tomorrow.

THEATRICAL EXCURSION.

To Toledo via. C. H. & D. Saturday March 30. $1.00 for the round trip tickets good going on the 11:57 a. m. and 4:35 p. m. trains. Good returning, leaving Toledo at 5:25 and 11:55 p. m. trains same day and 10:20 a. m. train Sunday. The early train will reach Toledo in time for the matinee Saturday afternoon and give all a chance to see the Foxy Quiller at the Valentine in the evening.

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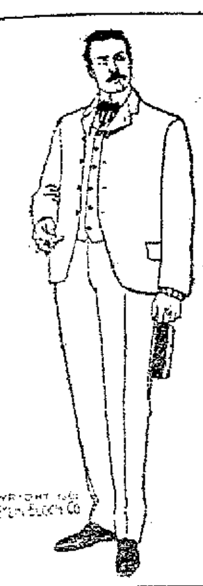

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[TH]E STAGE.

[Tod]ay—The American Beauties.
[Tonight]—The Christian.

Joshua Simpkins.

[Joshu]a Simpkins" is playing to the [mat]inee audience of the season [this after]noon, and the play with its [sce]nery, startling effects and [its] band and orchestra, is work[in]g [t]he [a]it. The prices tonight are [10] and 30 cents and the pros[pect is th]at the house will be pack[ed from] pit to dome.

[Wat]son's American Beauties.

[The at]traction at the opera house [Monday] night will be the American [Beauties], headed by the celebrated [comedia]n W. B. Watson, better [known as th]e "Julius Levy." The com[pany is c]omposed of gorgeous array of [..., s]ide-splitting comedians and [girls] who would put any nightin[gale to] shame, costumes that would [make a] bird of paradise burn with [envy. T]he bright particular star of [the show i]s W. B. Watson, the famous [delineato]r of Hebrew character. He [will be] seen this season as "Julius [Levy in] "Levy in Japan" and he will [(if] such a thing can be) a [bigger h]it than ever as "Levy". He [has sur]rounded himself with people [of repu]tation, stars in their respect[ive lines].

[In the] olio you will find such well [known a]rtists as Spencer Bros., in [their la]test success. The Darkie [...] Jeanette Dupre and Yale; [...]ing their new act "Frakeism"; [Mi]ldred Murray, the universal [...] the Brothers Lassards, in [their ma]rvelous acrobatic act; and [...] H. Diamond, the popular [...] singer with views. The [burlesqu]ers are entitled respectively, [...]n Japan" and Krausmeyer's [...] [bo]th are said to be replete with [sit]uations, sensation Parisian [...] elaborate scenery and cos[tumes].

The Christian.

[S]aturday night Liebler & Co.'s [p]roduction of Hall Caine's [...] play will be the attraction at [the oper]a house. This drama has cer[tainly b]een one of the most success[ful of m]odern years and Leikler & Co. [have fou]nd that their lavish expendi[ture fo]r scenery and company have [been ap]preciated by the public. The [play was] here last season and will un[doubtedl]y prove a powerful magnet on [...].

[Henry] Miller in "Richard Savage."

[Madeli]ne Lucette Ryley, the author [of "Rich]ard Savage," has already [given ev]idence of her ability in writ[ing] most refreshing comedy and [draw]ing eccentric characters. In [the] play, which Mr. Henry Miller [will pre]sent here in the near future, [we] have evidence of her ability [in] another direction—that of [dram]a, for "Richard Savage" [will und]oubtedly be classed in that [...]. It is said that the play [...] in intensely dramatic epi[sodes an]d thrilling climaxes. For all [this it] is reported to have a high [order of] literary merit, and to con[tain man]y a telling epigram that will [be sure t]o be quoted. The play will [be interp]reted by the original cast as [seen at t]he New York Lyceum thea[ter, whic]h includes Florence Rockwell, [...]orndyke Boucicault, Jennie [...] Owen Fawcett, Arthur Elliott and Joseph Wheelock. The production is a massive one, the costumes alone having cost a small fortune.

Francis Wilson Gets Fresh.

When Francis Wilson is playing an engagement within easy traveling distance of his home in New Rochelle, New York, he is occasionally visited by his family. When he returned from a rehearsal in Boston the other day the clerk of the hotel informed him that his wife and two daughters had arrived and had been assigned to apartments next to his own. The comic opera monarch threw ceremony aside and making his way to the abiding place of his household thumped on the door with a show of playful and noisy ostentation.

"Who is it?" a feminine voice queried faintly.

"It" the actor responded with reproachful emphasis. "It—if you insist upon my revealing the shivering and naked truth—is the head of this ranch."

"Whom do you wish to see?" was the next inquiry that floated promptly and cautiously over the transom.

"Oh, well as to that," said the unabashed visitor who now allowed his sense of the ridiculous to have full play, "it doesn't make much difference. Anybody will do. I'm not at all particular. By the way is there anybody just at present that you would care to see?"

At this point the door opened and a middle aged lady who was a perfect stranger to the comedian surveyed him from head to foot and said with icy severity:

"I am not at all certain that I care to see you, sir. You are distressingly informal."

Mr. Wilson had besieged the wrong door.

The Uncle Tommers Are Coming.

Stetson's big double Uncle Tom's Cabin company is headed for Lima. This old play never fails to draw big audiences; even New Yorkers are flocking to see ˙ at the Academy of Music.

The Old Homestead.

This celebrated play will be presented here with Mr. Denman Thompson appearing in his original creation of "Joshua Whitcomb." Mr. Thompson will be assisted by an excellent company of players who appeared with him at the Academy of Music in New York, together with the Old Homestead singers. This production and Mr. Thompson's art are so well known that it is almost useless to do more than announce his ciming. Each and every one of us have experienced the gentle subtlety of the piece and inhaled its wholesomeness with as much pleasure as a jaunt to the sweet clover strewn meadows in vacation time. It is the one play on the stage that is the distinctively American piece of dramatic art of this age.

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Watson's American Beauties are in Brooklyn this week.

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The Baldwin-Melville stock company, now in New Orleans will go to Montreal for the summer season.

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Madeline Lucatte Ryley, author of Henry Miller's new play, Richard Savage, wrote "A Coat of Many Colors" for Kelcey and Shannon.

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BIDS

A Farewell to Two Members.

Stella Lodge,

Daughters of Rebekah, Hold an Event

In Honor of Messrs. and Mesdames R. Verbryke and W. A. Morris.

The Former Will Remove to Bowling Green and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Go to California—The South Side.

There transpired at Stella Rebecca lodge room last night, a largely attended happy event, the occasion being a farewell reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morris, who leave shortly for California, for the benefit of Mr. Morris' health., also Richard Verbryke and wife, who will move soon to North Baltimore, where they will reside in the future. Extensive preparations for last nights occurance culminated in an unusually pleasing affair, highly enjoyed by all participants, being especially appreciated by those in whose honor the meeting was held. They were made to feel their importance in the lodge, also, the regret their removal occasioned. An appropriate program was rendered, after which banquetting was indulged in until a late hour, when the lodge adjourned wishing the feted members God speed and happiness in their respective new homes.

Mrs. C. Hite and daughter, of Delphos, have returned to their home, after visiting with Mrs. Morton Stumm, of south Main street.

Mrs. Dabler, of St. Johns avenue, who has been confined to her home the past few days by illness is convalescing.

Cliff Patterson has gone to Cincinnati, where he will commence his duties as a soldier in the regular army.

Mrs. S. Boose, who has been ill some time, seems to be growing gradually worse, her present condition being precarious.

The children of John Mack, of south Central avenue, who have been suffering with membranous croup, are pronounced better, the quarintine being raised yesterday.

J. F. Drennen, of south Elizabeth street, has accepted a position at the Steel works.

Owing to illness, J. F. McDowel has resigned his position at Atlenbach's barber shop.

Mrs. Myers, of Lafayett, will be the guest over Sunday of Mrs. Duckworth, of south Main street.

Rakestraw's weather.—Tomorrow—Rain.

The children of G. W. Pugsley, of Circular street, are convalescing.

Mrs. William Keiffer, of Forest avenue, who recently underwent an operation at Cincinnati, is improving rapily, her early recovery being assured.

H. B. Minnick and wife left today for Wellsville, where they will be the guests of the former's father.

J. B. Murphy, of Columbus, is visiting with south side friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Strumm, of south Main street, will visit tomorrow with relatives at Ada.

J. S. Smith and wife, of Broadway, have gone to Chicago for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Edwards, of Yorkshire, will move the first of the week to this city, residing on east Kibby street.

Mrs. Rev. W. H. Leatherman, of south Elizabeth street, has gone to Van Wert, where she will visit a few days with her parents.

Mrs. Kitty McCoy will spend Sunday with friends at Spencerville.

After a pleasant visit with John Mack, of the south side, Samuel Mack returned today to his home at Spencerville.

H. Simons, who for the past few days has been duck hunting at the reservoir returned today.

Mrs. Torrance, of Wapakoneta Mrs. Lankhart and Miss Woods, of Van Wert, are in the city to spend Sunday with south Lima friends.

J. C. Thompson, one of Ada's substantial business men, was in this locality a short time on business last night.

Last night while eating supper, Mrs. Julia Piper, of south Main street, had a fish bone lodge in her throat, which caused painful strangulations before a physician arrived. He had to work nearly two hours before the bone was removed, much to the relief of the lady, who suffered terribly. She was rendered weak from the effects but is much better today.

A large party of south side young people attended literary at Blue Lick last night. They report an enjoyable time.

J. R. Briggs, of Kenton, is here on business.

Mrs. M. Toohey, of Greenlawn avenue, is slowly recovering from her recent serious illness.

PERSONAL.

Charles Klumph, of Huntington, Ind., is visiting his brother, Albert Klumph, of the south side.

Mrs. Crooks, of Lima, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ross.—Van Wert Bulletin.

Miss Luanna Robertson, at one time a teacher in the Lima high school, now teaching in Chicago University, is the guest of Mrs. O. B. Selfridge during the Spring vacation.

Mrs. George Barrett, of north Elizabeth street, left today, to visit relatives in Louisville, Ky.

Prof. Ackermann lectured at Lewistown Thursday night under the auspices of the High school.

Engineer Charlie Miller, of 750 west Market street, who has been on the sick list for several days, was able to report for duty yesterday.

Mrs. O. C. Copeland, of east Market street, was called to Tiffin this morning by the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lawrence O'Connor.

Hon. Walter B. Richie was in Van Wert Thursday on business and yesterday went to Celina, where he delivered an address at a Knights of Pythias banquet.

Miss Carrie Jones, teacher in the public schools, left yesterday for Muncie, Ind., where she will spend the spring vacation.

Mrs. M. S. Thompson, accompanied by her two children, left yesterday for Montpelier, Ind., where she will be the guest for a week of her parents.

IT IS THE WAY YOU USE IT.

It's the Method Employed Which Makes Success or Failure.

One man with pen, ink and paper can produce a landscape, another man with same pen and ink may not be able to write his own name legibly. It is all in knowing how.

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The grip is an old disease with a new name; it is really catarrhal in character and the usual symptoms are those of acute catarrh, but the old time catarrh powders, salves and sprays do not cure it, neither does the application of antiseptics through an inhaler give anything more than relief for a short time.

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"I can commend your great national catarrh cure, Peruna, to my friends throughout the country as a safe, reliable medicine. I know of no other tonic that will build a person up as well as Peruna. It is a positive cure for the universal disease, catarrh, and those who will try this remarkable medicine will find a sure cure.

Very respectfully, Celso Cæsar Moreno.

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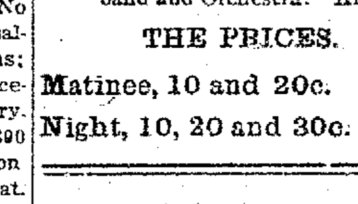

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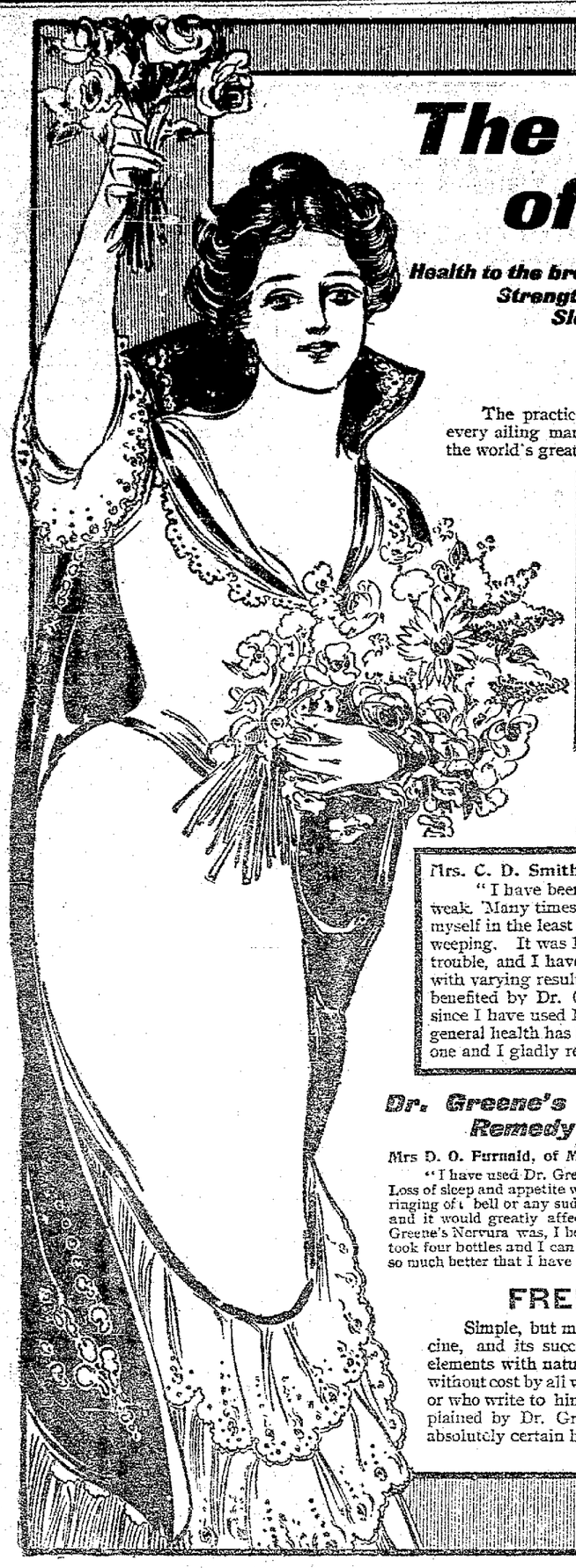

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CARIBOU BEATS GREYHOUND.

Interesting Test of Speed Over Snow in Maine Woods.

A man lately returned from the woods says that a caribou can run faster than any other animal on legs. He says, according to a Boston correspondent in the New York Sun: I have a friend who owns a greyhound, and he always maintained that no animal could outrun the dog—at least, he thought so until lately, when he stood by and saw the fleet dog run off his feet by a herd of caribou that didn't seem to be in much of a hurry, either. One day this friend of mine was bragging about the dog to an old woods guide, when the latter said that he could find an animal that would leave the hound so far behind that he would think he was anchored. This touched my friend in a sensitive spot, and a wager of $10 was made on a race between the hound and the first caribou we came across. Finally the guide succeeded in getting the dog after some caribou, a herd of four, found standing like so many statues on the ice in the middle of one of the big ponds of the Penobscot west branch region. You know a caribou trots instead of running like most wild animals. There had been a good fall of snow, a light rain which formed a thick crust and then about three inches more of snow. The dog went after them like a wild locomotive, and the caribou started. At first they didn't appear to be going very fast, but as the hound drew up to them they let out a link. The hound was running his prettiest, and before the caribou had had time to think he was right up on them. Then they put on steam, and it was a sight to see them go. Why, when they struck their gait they pulled away from that dog as though he had been anchored, and by the time they had reached the end of the pond the hound wasn't half way across. When the dog came back he was sadder and wiser, and his master looked dazed. To be sure, a greyhound is fast, but when you come to stack greyhounds or any other kind of hounds against caribou you are in too fast a game—sure.

HOMICIDE THROUGH SNEEZING

Now Said That Person Who Coughs Disseminates Disease.

Dr. Hermann Koeniger, a German scientist, has for some time been trying to find out what becomes of the germs that are released when a person speaks, coughs and sneezes, and from the conclusions at which he has arrived M. Henri de Barville, a French scientist, feels justified in claiming that a person may by simply sneezing commit homicide, according to the St. Louis Star. "Dr. Koeniger," he says "has clearly proved that a person who speaks, coughs and sneezes in a room in which there is no appreciable current of air disseminates germs to a distance of more than seven meters, and that these germs are carried in all directions, and even to a height of more than two meters. As few persons talk alike, the germs disseminated by speech vary greatly, some of them remaining in suspension for an hour, and others only for a quarter of an hour, the latter being especially the case when there is even a slight current of air. On the other hand, germs are very quickly disseminated by coughing and sneezing, and the smaller the microbes are the further they are likely to spread. Among such tiny microbes are those of influenza and the plague, whereas among the larger ones are those of tuberculosis and diphtheria. Evidently, therefore, the danger is greatest whenever there is the greatest number of microbes within a person's mouth. In view of Dr. Koeniger's discovery it will be well for every one to keep as far away as possible from persons who cough and sneeze."

Girls in Wicker Cages.

In Polynesia baby girls of a year old are placed in wicker cages, and in wicker cages they remain until the time they are married. Happily, the children do not seem to mind much, and they grow fat and healthy. At the age of 12 years or thereabouts most of the little damsels leave their cages to be married.

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Eccentric with Numerous Fads.

Robert S. Cook, who died a few days ago at Frankfort, Ind., was an eccentric with numerous fads. When he married a second time several years ago he and his bride signed an antenuptial agreement under which he was charged with all cooking, housekeeping, sewing and mending and she with board and lodging. They incorporated as "Robert S. Cook & Co.," issued stock and declared dividends or levied assessments as was necessary each year.

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Hope has dawned for bald-headed men! Timothy J. Mulcahy, an engineer in a Cleveland tannery, has been bald for years. Suddenly a little furze began to sprout on his head, and a few weeks later his cranium was covered with a thick but short growth of hair. A doctor investigated the matter, and learned that he had been working under a revolving belt. His hair had been sprouted by electricity.

Eugene J. Hall, the poet and publisher, says that one dose of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice when hoarseness threatened to prevent his lecture at Central Music Hall, Chicago. Nothing else as good.

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Likes Home Remedies.

When ex-Congressman Culberson of Texas was in Detroit the other day he caught a bad cold. "If I were at home," he said, "my wife would get out a piece of flannel and my mother-in-law—who is an angel—would make me a horrible mixture of vinegar, onion, suet and mullein. I would be put to bed and when I woke up I would be well. It is a horrible mixture, but I wish I was at home."

The Original "Star Chamber."

The famous "Star Chamber" derives its name from the apartment in which the English court was held in the king's palace, in Westminster. Upon the ceilings were stars, hence the "camera stellata," or chamber of stars. It was of very ancient origin, and the court had excessive powers, but could not pronounce the death penalty. It was abolished by act of parliament in 1641, during the reign of Charles I., but this unfortunate monarch was sentenced to be beheaded by a council in this same "Star Chamber."

REMARKABLE CURES OF RHEUMATISM.

From the Vindicator, Rutherfordton, N. C.

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Rise of Steam Navigation.

The rise of steam navigation was slow. Like most things new, it had opposition. In the sixteenth century an unsuccessful Italian genius tried to apply steam to navigation. In 1736 a British patent was taken out for a steamboat. It was 1807 that witnessed Fulton sailing up the Hudson in a boat driven by steam. In 1838 steamships crossed the Atlantic.

Arizona newspapers declare that deer, antelope and mountain sheep will soon be exterminated there unless immediate steps are taken for their preservation.

Tiffany's Great Age.

Charles L. Tiffany, head of the great New York jewelry house, celebrated his ninetieth birthday a few days ago. For the first time in a business career of sixty-four years he had been kept at home for two weeks with a cold, but on the morning of his birthday insisted on going "down to the store."

Railway Capitalization.

The capitalization of the railways of the United States is $11,000,000,000. Those railways employ more than $75,000 men, and for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898, they paid to their employes as compensation for services more than $495,000,000.

A HORRIBLE OUTBREAK

"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head" writes C. D. Isbill, of Morganton, Tenn., but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her. It's a guaranteed cure for Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Pimples, Sores, Ulcers and Piles. Only 25 cents at H. F. Vortkamp's cor. Main and North streets.

Fishing with an Axe.

Catching fish with an axe or hatchet is in vogue this winter on the icebound eastern branch of the Potomac in Prince George county, says a dispatch from Hyattsville, Md., to the Baltimore Sun. When the ice is clear the fish, usually pike and mullets, can be seen swimming, and a heavy blow from a hammer or axe on the ice will kill the fish by concussion. Then all that is necessary to be done is to cut a hole in the ice and take out the fish.

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Voting for a Dead Man.

A strong fight to elect a dead man was an unique feature of the election at Montoursville, says the Philadelphia Press. Christian Dubert, a nominee on the republican ticket, died Monday, and as the time was too limited to place another candidate on the ticket, a strong effort was made to elect the dead man in order to defeat the democratic candidate, and then have the vacancy filled by the appointment of a republican. Dubert received 66 votes, only 12 short of a majority.

If troubled with rheumatism, give Chamberlain's Pain-Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frostbites, quinsey, pains in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Price, 25 and 50 cents. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets. mchl-1m

Perhaps the World's Oldest Lawmaker.

The Hon. David Wark of Fredericton, N. B., one of the senators representing that province in the upper chamber at Ottawa, and who is said to be the oldest member of any legislative body in the world, recently observed the ninety-seventh anniversary of his birth. Senator Wark is still active and continues to enjoy good health.—Boston Evening Transcript.

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American Education in Honduras.

An American education is to be extended to the young women of Honduras. Dr. Jenckes of Indianapolis, has opened a school for girls at Santa Cruz and the government and wealthy people have subscribed enough to erect permanent stone structures for a college for women. Apparatus and a full corps of American teachers recently left New Orleans for this work.

Fashion Affects the Ribbon Trade.

There is unusual dullness in the silk ribbon market. Ribbons are used extensively for the decoration of ladies' wear, and when anything else is substituted naturally there is not so much demand for ribbon. For some time women have been wearing but little ribbon, and the market is consequently overstocked.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

A GOOD COUGH MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN.

"I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Moran, a well known and popular baker, of Petersburg, Va. "We have given it to our children when troubled with bad coughs, also whooping cough, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. It was recommended to me by a druggist as the best cough medicine for children as it contained no opium or other harmful drug." Sold by H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Last of the Beechers.

John Hooker, a well-known Connecticut politician, who died in Hartford the other day, was married to Isabella Beecher, sister of Henry Ward Beecher and of Harriet Beecher Stowe. His widow is the last living child of Dr. Lyman Beecher.

In Due Form.

"Everything portended a storm," wrote the society editor, who had been detailed to do the introduction to the account of the tornado. "The heavens were arrayed in the conventional black," etc.—Chicago Tribune.

How to Overcome Bashfulness.

You will overcome your bashfulness by going frequently into society, and endeavoring to lose your self-consciousness. Try to act naturally and without restraint, no matter where you are; and do not imagine that the eyes and thoughts of the entire company are constantly concentrated on you, eagerly awaiting every expression that comes from your lips. It is this kind of self-consciousness which makes men bashful.—New York Weekly.

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"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H., No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed by H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Jury Swallowed a Disappointment.

A big whisky trial has been in progress in Buffalo. The question is whether a certain whisky was of the required grade. Finally the counsel, who had been allowed to produce samples in court, declared that he would submit them to the jury for test. The attention in the jury box grew suddenly intense. But the judge, in evident haste, ruled that such a proceeding would be improper, and the jury had nothing to swallow but its disappointment.

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Wyandotte	8:00 am	5:30 pm
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Dundee	9:15 am	6:44 pm
Tecumseh	9:50 am	7:15 pm
Adrian	10:03 am	7:37 pm
Wauseon	11:05 am	8:35 pm
Napoleon	11:35 am	9:05 pm
Malinta	11:48 am	9:18 pm
Hamler	12:00 am	9:30 pm
Leipsic	12:18 am	9:45 pm
Ottawa	12:30 am	10:00 pm
Columbus Grove........	12:45 am	10:15 pm
Lima ....Ar.	1:15 pm	10:45 pm

North Bound.

Stations.	No. 2	No. 4
Lima ....Lv.	6:00 am	3:00 pm
Columbus Grove........	6:30 am	3:30 pm
Ottawa	6:45 am	3:45 pm
Leipsic	6:57 am	3:57 pm
Hamler	7:15 am	4:15 pm
Malinta	7:27 am	4:27 pm
Napoleon	7:40 am	4:40 pm
Wauseon	8:10 am	5:10 pm
Adrian	9:05 am	6:08 pm
Tecumseh	9:34 am	6:30 pm
Dundee	10:03 am	7:00 pm
Carleton	10:42 am	7:39 pm
Trenton	11:07 am	8:05 pm
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Detroit ....Ar.	11:45 am	8:45 pm

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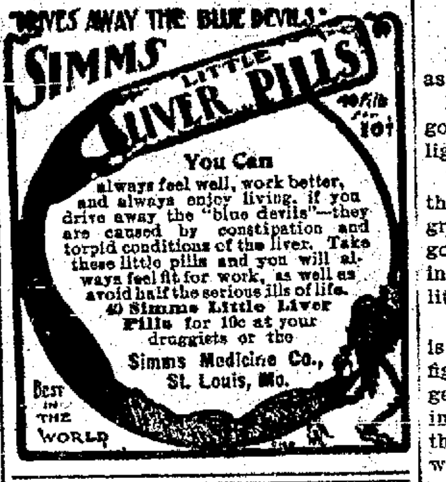

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No. 1. Daily except Sunday .... 9:20 a m
No. 5. Daily .... 12:41 p m
No. 3. Daily .... 4:20 p m
No. 9. Daily .... 6:00 p m
No. 65. Sunday only .... 6:50 a m
No. 13. Daily, except Sunday, Arr. 7:45 p m

North Bound.

Departs.
No. 12. Daily .... 2:55 a m
No. 14. Daily except Sunday.... 5:55 a m
No. 2. Daily except Sunday.... 8:20 a m
No. 6. Daily .... 11:57 a m
No. 4. Daily except Sunday.... 4:35 p m
No. 60. Sunday only .... 7:48 a m
No. 10. Daily except Sunday, Arr. 9:00 p m
No. 68. Sunday only .... 9:55 p m

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7:00 Lv. 00.... Defiance ...(1)..Ar 4:30
03.... *Miller ....
05.... *Mentley ....
7:24 Lv. 07.... Southerton ......Lv 4:06
7:30 Lv. 09.... Rice ....Lv 4:00
7:45 Ar. 14.... Continental (2)...Lv 3:45
8:15 Lv. .... Continental (2)...Ar 3:15
18.... *Leon ....
8:35 Ar. 20.... Dorrnington (3)....Lv. 2:55
8:45 Lv. 20.... Dorrnington (3)....Ar 2:45
8:55 Ar. 22.... Kallda ....Lv 2:35
9:10 Lv. 22.... Kallda ....Ar 2:20
27.... *Seitz ....
9:31 Lv. 29.... Jones City (4)....Lv 1:59
9:40 Lv. 32.... Gomer ....Lv 1:50
38.... *Pogue ....
10:00 Ar. 40.... North Lima (5)...Lv 1:30
10:05 Ar. 41.... C. H. & D. Yds. (5)...Lv 1:25

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MURMURS OF THE MODES.

Machine stitching will be as popular as ever in spring.

For street wear many of the new gowns are of broadcloth of the finest, lightest variety.

Wash silks are to the fore again in the list of warm weather fabrics in great variety, both for waists and gowns, but the India and China silks in colors bid fair to be outrivaled very little by the satin foulards.

The tendency in summer shirtings is toward stripes or small scattered figures of linen or silk; madrases are generally striped, but strong contrasting colors are not apparent in any of the fabrics designed strictly for shirtwaists.

Pastel shades exist no longer in name, although they still reign in fact. Their new title is "bonbon tints" that show the same soft blues, dim greens, shadowy reds and creamy browns.—Philadelphia Times.

When a Scotch lover throws himself at a lassie's feet, it is not always a highland fling.

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Waning Popularity of Juries.

Is trial by jury becoming less popular? There would certainly seem to be some ground for believing that it is. The proportion of actions to be tried without juries in the Queen's Bench division during the present term is exceptionally large; the jury cases number 295, and the nonjury cases 190. Even more striking is the want of faith in trial by jury displayed by litigants in the county courts.—London Law Journal.

Rivers Drain Immense Territory.

Lost rivers drain a large territory of country. The Ganges is nearly 1,600 miles in length and drains an area of 750,000 square miles.

Rich California Oil Fields.

Tempting chances to make money by investing in the new oil districts of southern California. Excursions from Chicago, Tuesdays, until April 30; one-way rate only $30. Through tourist sleepers without charge, Chicago to Los Angeles and San Francisco; also chair cars.

Santa Fe Route.

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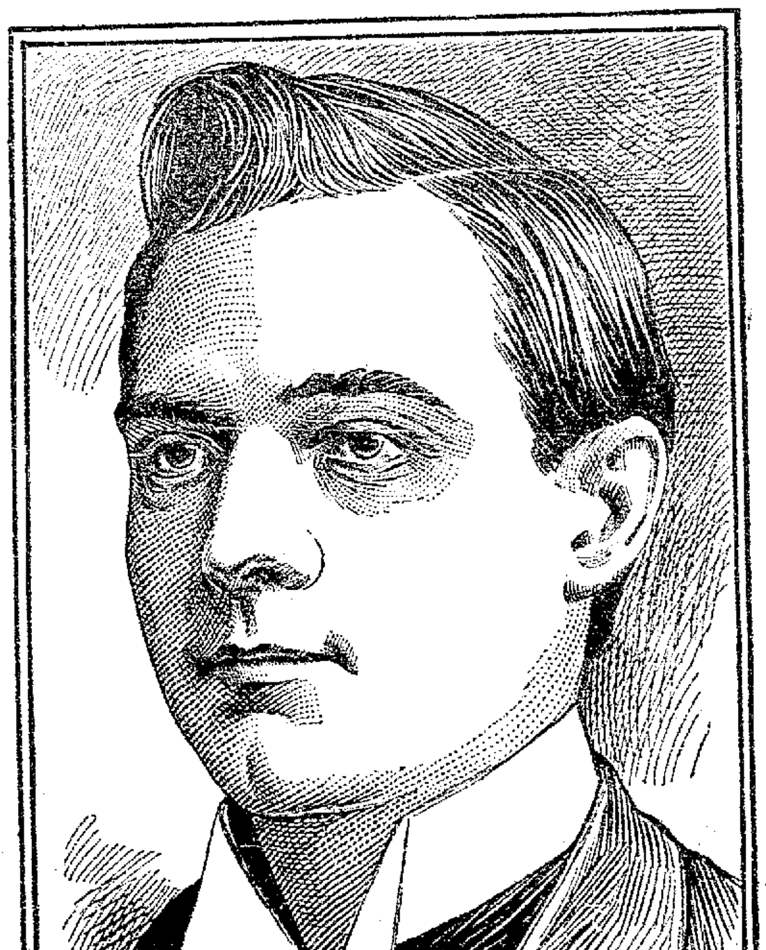
Among centenarians none can be more remarkable than Signor Pacelli, whose birthday has just been celebrated in Rome. He is 103 years old, and in full possession of his faculties. He has played a not unimportant part in public life in Italy, and was at one time the director of the Pontifical customs. He can remember the excitement caused by the Napoleonic campaigns, and was himself present at the removal of Pope Pius VII. from the Quirinal in 1808.

Statistics of Santiago de Cuba.

Santiago de Cuba has a population of 43,000. In January, 1898, there were 516 deaths, which makes an annual death rate of 137.6 per 1,000. In January, 1899, under military rule, practical sanitation was applied, and the deaths were 215, making a rate of 60. In January, 1900, the deaths numbered 120, a rate of 33.48. Now, after two years of sanitary work, the January, 1901, deaths numbered 83, a rate of 22.2.

CLERGY MINISTER TO THE SICK.

From Many Parsonages Come Words of Praise for Paine's Celery Compound.



More practical work and shorter doctrinal sermons distinguish the pulpit of to-day. Bishops and plain ministers of the gospel are putting tremendous energy into the cause of good government and public health.

The injunction "Minister to the sick and suffering" is being literally obeyed.

Clergymen are investigating remedies as they have never done before, taking them, themselves and family, frankly recommending the valuable ones and condemning the worthless.

Rev. W. E. Aldridge, of Birmingham, Ala., says he considers it his duty to let his people know about Paine's Celery compound, as he speaks from personal knowledge. He says:

Gentlemen:—I had been afflicted for ten years with what I thought to be heart disease, but after having the physicians examine me, I learned that I was almost dead with indigestion. They told me that they could give me medicine that would relieve me, but there was no permanent cure. Then I began using Paine's celery compound, which gave me immediate relief, and now I am well and enjoying good health. I can recommend Paine's celery compound to be the best remedy for all ailments I ever used, and furthermore, I tell my people if they will use the compound freely, they will have no doctor's bills to pay. REV. W. E. ALDRIDGE.

Clergymen in every denomination are recommending to their parishioners these March days the great spring remedy that makes people well, earnestly endorsing the work of Dartmouth College's generous scientist, and frankly lending their influence to that of the best physicians—advising the use of Paine's celery compound now spring has come.

As soon as one has fairly begun to use Paine's celery compound every day is a step toward assured health. Nervous, unhappy, and feeble persons find their flesh becomes more solid, a more healthy color takes the place of the waxy, sallow look, and there comes an increase in the volume of the blood and an improved normal appetite because of this rapid feeding of the entire nervous system.

Clerks, employers, lawyers, doctors, mothers of families, hard working men and women in every state and country, and hosts of brainworkers—the most intelligent part of every community—are to-day taking Paine's celery compound with the happiest results to relieve themselves of rheumatism, neuralgia, nervous exhaustion, dyspepsia, sleeplessness, and low spirits.

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PENNED IN BY FIRE.

Two Perish and Six Are Injured In a Blaze That Consumes a Residence.

Davenport, Ia., March 23.—Two children burned to death and six other members of the family in the hospital, is the result of the burning of the home of John Holland, near here. The house caught fire from a defective flue. The flames penned Holland's father, his wife and his six children in their bedrooms. All jumped from the second story windows but Willie and Edward, aged five and three years. Their bodies are in the ashes of the home. The others were burned and bruised, but will probably recover.

A Serious Blaze.

Greenville, Mass., March 23.—Fire in the Greenville cotton compress did damage to the extent of $70,000. Hundreds of bales of cotton are still burning. Fanned by the wind, the fire spread and destroyed New Hope First Baptist church and then swept into Steel's alley, destroying 17 tenement houses and most of the contents, bringing the total loss up to $100,000. The tenement houses destroyed were occupied by negroes. Several people were badly burned, but none fatally.

Absorbed by the Trust.

Boston, March 23.—The Boston tin can firms have been absorbed by the American Tin Can company, incorporated under the laws of New Jersey, with a capital of $83,000,000. The Boston concerns absorbed are the New England Can company, Boston Can company and the U. B. Campbell & Sons Can company. The business of these firms will be turned over to the new corporation Monday.

Petition In Bankruptcy.

New York, March 23. — Kenyon B. Conger, residing at Irvington-on-the-Hudson, and with offices in Wall street, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court. The petitioner places his liabilities at $553,095 and assets nominal, $1,500. Ohio corporations are among the secured and unsecured creditors.

Interstate League.

Toledo, March 23.—There will be a meeting of the magnates of the Interstate league next Wednesday at which the applications of Indianapolis and Louisville will be considered. There is little doubt but that they will be admitted, and it is probable that Wheeling and Marion, Ind., will be dropped to make places for the two teams.

Swept Over a Dam.

Lexington, Ky., March 23. — While Rev. C. A. Logan, a Presbyterian preacher, and wife and daughter Cora, 7, were crossing the Kentucky river at Jackson, the boat was swept over a mill dam and the child was drowned. The others had narrow escapes.

Morris Makes Changes.

Columbus, O., March 23.—Railway Commissioner Morris has appointed Harry E. King of Newton Falls, chief clerk; C. G. Knight of Columbus, chief inspector, the position Mr. Morris formerly occupied; and Edward P. Hanna of Nelsonville, statistician.

Cuban Postage.

Washington, March 23.—As a result of the cabinet meeting, the postmaster general will issue an order establishing the domestic rate of postage between the United States and Cuba, the order to take effect April 1.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Prices For March 22.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers, $5 00@6 00; poor to medium, $3 75@4 90; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 65; cows, $2 65@4 35; heifers, $2 70@3 60; canners, $2 00@2 60; bulls, $2 75@4 35; Texas fed steers, $3 40@4 00; Texas grass steers, $3 40@4 00; Texas bulls, $2 50@3 75. Calves—$4 50@6 00. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5 85@6 15; good to choice heavy, $5 00@6 15; rough heavy, $5 85@5 95; light, $5 85@6 05. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, $4 75@5 00; fair to choice mixed, $4 50@4 80; western sheep, $4 75@5 00; yearlings, $4 75@5 10; native lambs, $4 75@4 20; western lambs, $5 20@5 40. Wheat—No. 2 red, 74¾@76½c. Corn—No. 2, 40¼c. Oats—No. 2, 25¾c.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice smooth dry fed, 1,250 lb. steers and upwards, $4 65@4 90; good to choice dry fed lighter steers, $4 40@4 50; green half fat steers, 900 to 1,200 lbs., $3 75@4 25; fair to best heifers, $3 50@4 50; fair to extra cows, $3 00@3 50; bulls, $3 00@3 75. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice handy lambs, $5 60@5 65; fair to good handy lambs, $5 40@5 50; heavy lambs, $5 25@5 40; choice wether sheep, $4 65@4 75; good mixed sheep, $4 25@4 60. Calves—Fair to best, $5 50@6 25. Hogs—Yorkers and mediums mixed, $6 15; good pigs, $6 00.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $5 50@5 65; prime, $5 20@5 40; good, $4 90@5 10; tidy butchers, $4 60@4 85; heifers, $3 00@4 25; cows, bulls and stags, $2 50@4 25; fresh cows, $25 00@50 00. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $5 10@5 25; good, $4 90@5 00; fair, $4 50@4 80; choice lambs, $5 75@5 85; common to good, $4 50@5 65. Hogs—Medium heavy Yorkers and heavy hogs, $6 25@6 30; light Yorkers, $6 15@6 25; pigs, $5 90@6 00.

BUFFALO—Cattle: Exporters, $5 25@5 60; shipping, $5 00@5 25; butchers, $4 25@4 75; cows, $3 00@4 25; heifers, $3 75@4 75; stockers and feeders, $3 75@4 40; bulls, $3 40@4 25. Sheep and Lambs—Best lambs, $5 75@5 85; fair to good, $5 40@5 65; culls and common, $4 75@5 25; mixed sheep, $4 50@4 75; culls and common, $3 00@3 50; yearlings, $5 00@5 25. Calves—$6 00@7 50. Hogs—Pigs, $6 10@6 25; Yorkers, $6 20; mediums, $6 30@6 35; heavy, $6 35.

NEW YORK—Cattle: Steers, $4 00@5 30; oxen and stags, $3 25@4 25; bulls, $3 15@4 25; cows, $2 10@3 80. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $4 00@5 10; culls, $3 00@3 75; lambs, $5 50@6 20. Calves—Veals, $4 00@7 50. Hogs—$6 00@6 25; choice state, $6 30. Wheat—No. 2 red, 80¼c. Corn—No. 2, 49c. Oats—No. 2, 30½c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 79@79½c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 42½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 27¾@28c. Rye—No. 2, 55c. Lard—$7 80. Bulk Meats—$8 10. Bacon—$9 00. Hogs—$4 85@6 10. Cattle—$2 25@4 90. Sheep—$2 00@4 50. Lambs—$4 25@5 75.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 78½c; corn, 41c; oats, 28c; rye, 53½c; cloverseed, $6 50.

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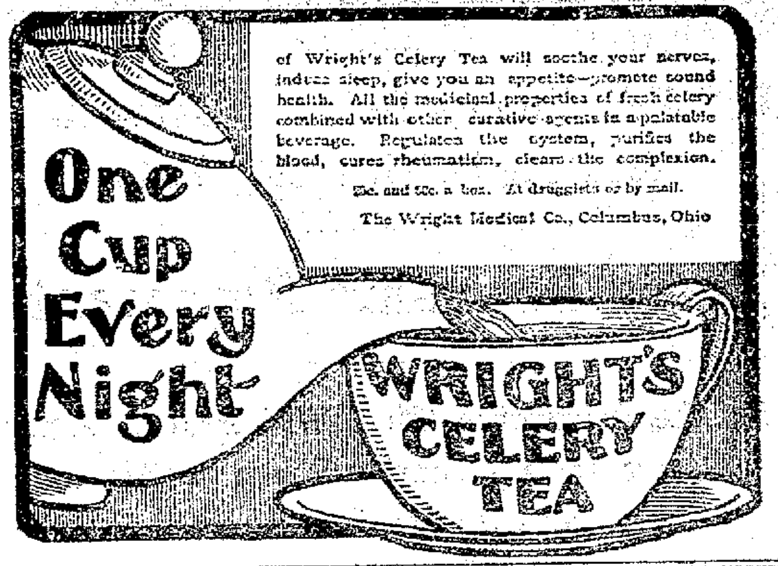

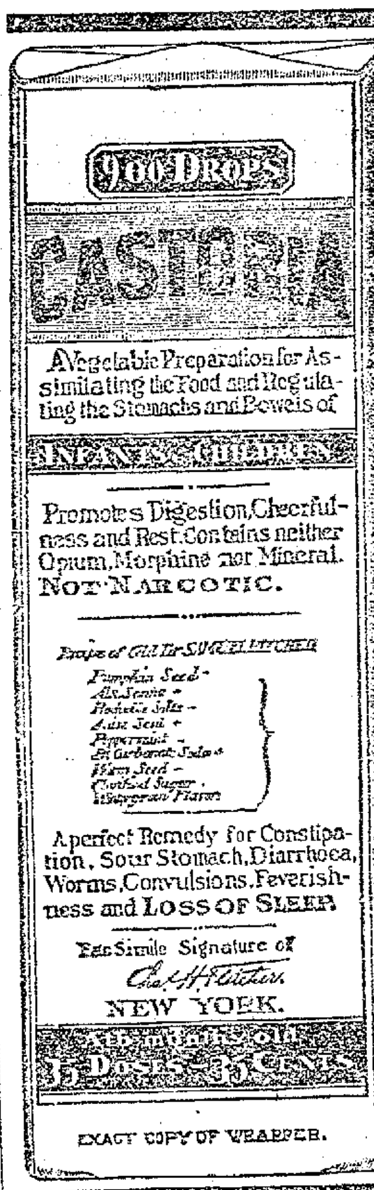

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FARMERS

Of Allen County Held an Enthusiastic Meeting in This City Today.

Every Township Represented

On the Committee That Will Protest Against Increase in Valuation When the Matter Comes Up for Hearing by the State Board.

In response to the call issued for a mass meeting of the farmers of Allen county, there was a generous outpouring this morning and an interest was taken in the momentous question that will produce the means of accomplishing success in the end, if the state board of equalization is inclined to deal with the Allen county farmers in all fairness The meeting was called for nine o clock, but it was decided to postpone the introduction of the subject until 10 o clock in order to give those who live some distance from the county seat a chance to arrive

The meeting was called to o der in the lower court room by Auditor Feltz and Hon William Rusler was chosen to preside Mr Feltz fully stated the object of the meeting showing that Allen county s valuations were higher than adjoining counties He stated that Allen county s valuation had not yet been increased but that the county would be called up for consideration on March 28, and the question of increasing her valuation fully discussed Mr Feltz advised against delaying action until after an increase had been made and then undertaking to get a reduction made for such a course meant more trouble than to take hold of the matter in advance. Mr Feltz further said the people in the southern part of the state were inclined to add to the valuation on of farm lands in Northwestern Ohio because of the existence of oil in this locality but this idea was unjust because the mineral values were assessed separate and apart from the acreage

J O Ohler who was a member of the committee of ten which recently appeared before the Board was in the meeting, and being called for, made some valuable suggestions to the meeting

A motion was made by Sheriff Bogart, that the roll of townships be called and a delegate from each be selected to constitute a committee to go to Columbus and lay the cause of Allen county before the State Board.

This motion was promptly carried and the members of the different townships separated in order to talk over the situation and choose from among their number, a delegate to represent their respective interests When the reports were later called for, the following names were presented

Amanda W D. Poling; Auglaize J. L B Leatherman, Bath, F. C Wright, German Nelson McBride Jackson G W Wert, Marion, Henry Mosier, Monroe Wm Klinger; Perry, J A Jacobs Richland, John Dray Shawnee Wm Rusler, Spencer, J. N Bailey; Sugar Creek, John G. Roberts

In the matter of providing for the expenses of the delegates it was the sense of the meeting that the trustees of each township be requested to pay the respective delegates out of the township funds This would distribute the expense of the effort fairly among the taxpayers in each locality

A motion was made that Auditor Feltz be requested to accompany the committee to Columbus—a request which that gentleman readily agreed to A vote of thanks was tendered to Mr Feltz for the interest which he has taken in the bringing about the farmers meeting thus giving them an opportunity to prevent the threatened increase of taxation

This committee will go to Columbus Wednesday morning a day preceding the date set by the state board for the hearing and they will be accompanied by Auditor Feltz the county commissioners and ex Auditor Walther

The committee met at one o clock this afternoon and there followe an open discussion upon the merits of Allen county s case Mr Feltz explained how the work was accomplished by the Lima committee and it was eventually decided that the delegation leave Lima for Columbus over the Pennsylvania road at 8 15 Wednesday morning The county commissioners Auditor Feltz and ex Auditor Walther were appointed a committee on statistics and to them will be left the work of preparing the facts and figures to be presented to the board The matter of a spokesman was also left to the sub committee

Prosecuting Attorney Klinger and Auditor Feltz were appointed to arrange for rates with the railroad company and they will endeavor to have the figures reduced so as to encourage the presence of as many as would like to take the trip

ANNUAL

Observance of the Forty Hours Devotion

Begins at St. Rose Church Tomorrow Mornings.

Both Divisions of the Hebernians and the Local Branch of the C. M. B. A. Will Receive Holy Communion.

The annual observance of the Forty Hours Devotion will begin at St Rose church tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock, with the celebration of high mass Both divisions of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, and Branch No. 23, Catholic Knights of Ohio, will receive holy communion in a body, at the seven o'clock mass Very Rev Boniface Russ, C. P P. S of the Mercer county, arrived here this morning to assist Rev. A. E Manning and Rev J B Mooney in the opening exercises of the devotion. Other priests, who will arrive here tomorrow to assist the local pastors are Rev J C Herr, of Crestline, Rev J. T O Connell, of Toledo, Rev H Doerner, of Findlay, Rev. J. P McCloskey, of Fremont and Rev. P J. O'Connell, of Cleveland.

Masses tomorrow will be celebrated at 7, 9, and 10.30 o'clock Monday and Tuesday mornings at 5, 7 30 and 9 o'clock. Evening services will be held at 7.30 o'clock, Rev. J C Herr, of Crestline, will preach the opening sermon tomorrow evening and Rev. P. J. O Connell, of Cleveland will deliver the closing sermon on Tuesday evening

BEN LANDIS

Is Out On Bail With a Body Guard at Findlay.

Authorities Fear He May be Murdered by Friends or Members of Famous Foster Gang.

A special dispatch from Findlay to the Times-Democrat today says'

"Ben Landis, the confessed horse thief, by whose aid the famous Foster gang was rounded up, is out on bail and will have a body guard. If Landis should meet a sudden death, it is feared that the state's case against the gang would fall flat."

MONDAY.

A stated communication of Garrett Wykoff lodge, No. 585, F. & A. M., will be held Monday, 25th, at 7.30 o'clock. P. M. work. All members invited. W. K. BOONE, W. M.
E. H. JOHNS, Secy.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual stockholders' meeting of the L. G M. & T. Co. for the election of officers and the transaction of other business that may come before the meeting, will be held in the office of Dr. Foltz, Lima, O., at 8 o'clock p. m Tuesday, April 2d, 1901.
T. H. FOLTZ, Secy.
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WEEK

In the Circles of Society

The Calendar

Offers Many Events for Next Week

While the Expiring One Was Replete With Happy Functions.

Ladies of Trinity Aid Society Issue Invitations for a Reception to be Held at the Home of Mrs. F. Light.

CLUB CALENDAR

Monday.

Arbutus—Miss Bess Reichelderfer.
Bay View—Mrs Charles Stagman
Chonican—Mrs Elmer Crossley
Sorosis—Mrs. Ehrnman
Round Table—Mrs H Hiner
20th Century—Mrs D J Cable
Philup—Mrs L E Stamets
Lotus—Mrs R J Thomson
Philomathean—Mrs I. W Street
Woman s Culture—Mrs G Robinson.

Tuesday.

A O T—Mrs C C Williams
Lisztianers—Mrs D MacDonald

Thursday.

Sapuho—Mrs Harold B Adams
Q R S — Irs W R Jones
Thursday Afternoon club—Mrs Lester

Friday.

T & T —Mr. and Mrs W L Mackenzie
A F —Mrs C W Hollister
Oriental—Mr and Mrs Harper.

Invitations being issued are for a reception to be given at the home of Mrs Light of south Elizabeth street by the following ladies of Trinity Aid Society Mrs Barkalow, Mrs Vail Mrs Breland Mrs Mowen Mrs Hoover Mrs Seith Mrs Bennett Mrs Long Mrs Andrews Mrs Cadwell Mrs Campbell Mrs. Everton Mrs Sanderson, Mrs Gore Mrs Crossley Mrs Booth Mrs Louthan and Mrs. Wykoff

Wednesday afternoon Mrs Ralph Durnbaugh of south Main street gave one of the prettiest affairs of this month in the form of a progressive pedro party Seven tables were filled with lovers of the interesting game and Mrs W D Carpenter was the fortunate winner of the first prize, a handsome sterling golatme spoon Mrs Ed Crossley securing the second a pretty hat pin Mrs Walter Scott was more than consoled with a pretty plate

The Bay View club had a very interesting meeting this week at the home of Mrs Frank Boone The roll call was answered with responses from Ruskin Mrs Carson Dalzell read a paper on Modern English art ists John Constable, Joseph Turner Sir Edwin Landseer Laurens Alma Tadem And Mrs Howard Williamson one on Modern French artists Gustave Dore and Rosa Bonheur

Last evening Miss Iva Bowers of east Market street was the hostess for the E & W club, who meet one time in the east end and the next, in the west end, taking their sewing and spending an evening socially

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Auld, of west Spring street, was the hostess for the Womans' Culture club An interesting program was followed by dainty refreshments and a business meeting, to make plans for their dinner party on Monday evening, when they entertain their husbands

Yesterday afternoon was a lovely one for the meeting of the Sutorium Circle, who met at the home of Mrs. Charles Mann, of west Market street. Schumann was the theme of the day Mrs L Fall, Mrs. E. V Wells and Mrs X Wells providing good music.

The Wimodaughsis Circle was entertained on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Homer Hall

Thursday evening Mrs. Louise Warner, of west Wayne street, was given a merry surprise party by a number of friends, who with fun and feasting, made the hours pass swiftly

Thursday evening Mrs Henry Dean of Circular street, gave a charming little party to about thirty ladies Progressive pedro was the amusement. Mrs Earnest Bissel securing the high prize, a pretty picture, and Miss Near, the second, a bottle of fine perfume. Carnations were artistically used in decorating

Last evening Mr and Mrs. John Phillips of west Market street, opened their new home to a large number of friends. The evening's amusement being progressive pedro, with much interest in the game being shown by all. The rooms were artistically decorated with fragrant flowers intermingled with Green.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Hamilton, of west High street, entertained a number of ladies very delightfully.

Mrs. M S Thompson and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs Thomas Clemenger, at Montpelier, Ind.

Mrs. Henry Blosser entertained the Thursday Afternoon club this week Dainty needle work and selected reading made up the pleasant meeting.

The Kaffee Kranzchen club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. William Wemmer.

Mrs. Chas Ackerman entertained the New Century club on Tuesday afternoon at her home on west North street. All members and five guests being present. Mrs. Geo. Shiffer won high honors, Mrs Johnson won second, while Mrs. H. Deisel carried off the guest's prize. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess The guests present were Mrs L Leilick, of Delphos Mrs L. Steuber, Mrs. H Deisel, Mrs. H Wemmer, Mrs. J. Rentz The club meets with Mrs Fletcher, 547 south Pierce street on next Tuesday afternoon.

Invitations received in this city today, announce that the marriage of Miss Lydia Winship and Harold S. Standish will occur at the home of Miss Winships parents in New Orleans on Tuesday evening April 9th, at half past seven o'clock

The Spinit club will meet with Mrs Hugh Cameron Thursday afternoon

The 1901 Penro club met Thursday evening with Mr and Mrs Shuler of east McKibben street The guests were Mr and Mrs Wm Van Horn Mrs C Sullivan Mrs J Riselman Misses Bessie Sayers, Katie Kruie and Dolshia Verbryke and J B Riselman The ladies prize was carried away by Miss Verbryke the gentlemens prize went to Mr Sweeny and the "booby" to Mr Van Horn Lunch was served after which there wede games and other pleasantries

"THE BUFFALO"

Is the Catchy Title of a New March and Two Step

That Has Been Composed and Dedicated to Lima Herd No. 1 Will be Published Soon.

The Buffalos have certainly taken the city by storm They have stampeded everything in popularity and those who are not already members of Lima herd are anxious to file their applications by the time the herd is ready to begin initiating candidates The latest thing out to add to the fame and popularity of the first herd of Buffaloes to apply for a charter under the laws of the state of Ohio, or any other state, is a march and two-step with the title "The Buffalo" and dedicated to Lima Herd, No. 1. The music was composed and arranged by Prof. Glen. R. Crum, for piano, band and orchestra and is pronounced by the leading local critics to be a magnificent creation in both harmony and theme. The Buffalo march will soon be published.

SOUL COMMUNION MEETINGS.

Soul communion meetings tomorrow at Donze hall at 2 30 and 7 30 p. m. Professor Grupp, spiritual demonstrator, will give psychometric evidences of the continuity of life. H. N. Maguire will lecture on both occasions.

NOTICE.

A meeting of the Travelers' Protective Association will be held Saturday night at 8 o'clock at the Hotel Norval All traveling men are invited. By order of the PRESIDENT.
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PROF. GRUBB'S DEMONSTRATIONS.

The tests given at Donze hall last Sunday, through the mediumship of Prof. Grubb, of Chicago, proves the continuity of life beyond a doubt. He will be at Donze hall again tomorrow at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.

NOTICE I. O. O. F.

The Golden Gate Rebekah degree staff will meet in their hall this evening at 7 o'clock sharp, for practice.
By order of CAPTAIN.

Roney is still in the old business—selling and hanging wall paper, 126 Harrison avenue. 7-3t*

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DIVORCES

Are Still a Matter of Legal Import.

Two New Petitions Were Docketed Today.

Another Chapter Appears in the Action Against Seitz, the Delphos Man Who Has Given Bond.

As predicted a day or two ago, Leander Seitz has filed a petition for divorce from his wife, Ida Seitz, charging her with gross neglect of duty and alleging that her frequent absences from home was due to her alliances with other men. The climax was brought about by the arrest of the husband under the laws established to assist the Humane Society, it being charged that he had refused to aid in the support of the three children.

Seitz declares that he furnished money for the children but that his wife spent it in other ways when she had clandestine meetings with other men. He says that she left him, without any provocation and later returned and removed all of the furniture in the house besides taking the children with her.

Since then the plaintiff says he had to board away from his home and even while they were living together, Mrs. Seitz refused to cook his meals, care for the children or attend to her household duties

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

George W. Little; aged 32, a farmer of Amanda township, and Daisy Maude Shanks, aged 20, of Shawnee township.

Jasper E Blockmore, aged 23, of Van Wert, and Ella T. Patrick, aged 16, of Marion township

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

John B. Carey and wife to Mathias Suever, 80 acres in Spencer township, $4,800.

Andrew Parrott, executor to Mrs. Sophia South, part of inlot 2582 in Goodenow's addition, $410

Andrew Diller and wife to John A Light, 40 acres in Spencer township, $2,750

Edward Christen and wife to E B. Oglivie, inlot 2441 in Townsend's addition, $2,890.

L. M. Copeland and wife to F. A. Turner, 20 acres in Auglaize township, $925.

Lewis McClain and wife to Nancy E. Herndon, inlot 2610 in Goodenow's addition, $1,400

NOTES.

The circuit court judges, Day of Celina, Norris of Mansfield, and Douglas, chief justice of the circuit court of Ohio, handed down decision at Van Wert yesterday.

THE GROUND HOG

Has had pretty much his own way for the past six weeks He "feels his oats" and whosoever doubts his ability as a weather prophet incurs his displeasure. To declare him a fraud rouses his ire and he spiritedly retorts "You're another." But it remains for Old Sol to put in his best lick and warm up things generally. It is now in order to speak of Spring, as Spring is here, and of

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